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New arts festival liable to 'light up' little, old Carmel

FINALLY, Carmel may be getting the big time, razzmatazz, hip, show biz environment it has alway

As reported in The Pine Cone last week, an ANNUAL three-week-long "performing arts festival" is set to debut here in October with some 70 events to be held in theaters, churches, parks and on street corners!

Joe Fitzpatrick

"THE IDEA," said **Robin McKee,** festival full-time executive director, "is to take over the town of Carmel!"

You betcha! And everybody is FOR it — well, except maybe the residents and the city council members, none of whom have been consulted or know a darn thing about it!

BUT so what? Who cares if the residents don't know anything about it and the city council hasn't been told beans — The Mayor is in on the ground floor, so does anything else matter?

In fact, **Mayor Ken White** is on the festival's board of directors!

DOES that constitute a conflict of interest and make the mayor ineligible to discuss it or vote on it when (and if)

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Good times lead to ample choices as council focuses on new budget

By PAUL WOLF

A STAGGERING list of some 300 possible new city expenditures was posted but finally set aside. The complex process — not too mention the high expectations — appeared to have gotten out of control.

At a special budget session Tuesday, members of the Carmel City Council agreed a much more selective list was in order.

Just as City Administrator Jere Kersnar is expected to return with a pared-down list of about 40 spending possibilities, Carmel residents and city officials shouldn't get too excited about the city's improved financial position: The books may be in great shape, but not in *that* great shape.

In fact, by the time the analysis and "prioritizing" are completed, the 1997-98 fiscal year budget — already a work-in-progress — may include no more than about $100,000 in brand-new spending, Kersnar told The Pine Cone after the budget session.

Kersnar said the amount may be much less than that figure.

The council conceivably will be able to restore a few programs dropped during the recession of the early 1990s, or launch a few new programs, or improve certain existing services, or make room for one or two new employees. But the new budget won't be able to accomplish all of the above, Kersnar suggested.

Good news

Still, most of the news from city hall is good. Kersnar projects that, come June 30, the current fiscal year revenues will amounted to $8.66 million — a new post-recession high, reflecting strong local commerce and tourism. It has already been reported that the city's reserve accounts — cold cash as well as special insurance funds — now total a record $5.3 million.

On Tuesday, the council decided to hold a budget priorities session in March. The massive list of 300, stapled to the walls of the city council chambers, was the product of a new brainstorming approach to budgeting, which included all the council members and city advisory commissions.

At Tuesday's meeting, a small group of citizens spoke in behalf of their favored ways to spend new funds:

■ The restoration of a full-time children's librarian at Harrison Memorial, where a part-timer now handles the duties.

■ The return of grants to performing

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Welcome back, Leon

PHOTO/CHUCK SCARDINA

At last Saturday's 'Welcome Home Reception' for former 17th District Congressman Leon Panetta at the Monterey Conference Center, Carmel was well-represented. Here, Mayor Ken White (center) and his wife, Jean, greet President Clinton's ex-White House Chief of Staff, while Clayton Anderson and City Councilwoman Barbara Livingston mingle in the background at left. For more coverage of the Panetta event, please see pages 2, 17 and 16B.

Versatile volunteer, Bob Kohn, named citizen of year

By PAUL WOLF

DESCRIBED AS someone who has dedicated his life to helping people and the natural environment, Bob Kohn was selected as the Carmel Residents Association 1996 Citizen of the Year.

At an annual event held Sunday at the Scout House in Carmel, Kohn was honored by CRA officials as an involved, concerned citizen of the highest order.

Master of Ceremonies Howard Skidmore and CRA President Mary Condry honored Kohn's ongoing work with the Red Cross, Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula, Friends of the Carmel Forest and Carmel-by-the-Sea's Forest and Beach Commission.

"When you get to a certain age, you start thinking about getting involved in things you couldn't do when you were working or raising a family," Kohn, 76, told The Pine Cone. "Volunteering is all about helping other people."

Kohn, who received formal training from the Red Cross in 1992, was dispatched on three national relief missions for that organization: The Kauai hurricane in 1992; floods in the Midwestern United States in 1993; and the Northridge earthquake in 1994.

Local flood work

He also has been involved in two local missions — in the aftermath of the Carmel River floods in January and March 1995. Kohn served as both a shelter manager and a damage-assessment official.

A founding member of Friends of Carmel Forest in 1990, Kohn has participated in planting pine seedlings throughout Carmel and a survey on bark beetle infestation.

Kohn, a retired business owner who specialized in manufacturing, has lived in Carmel for 10 years.

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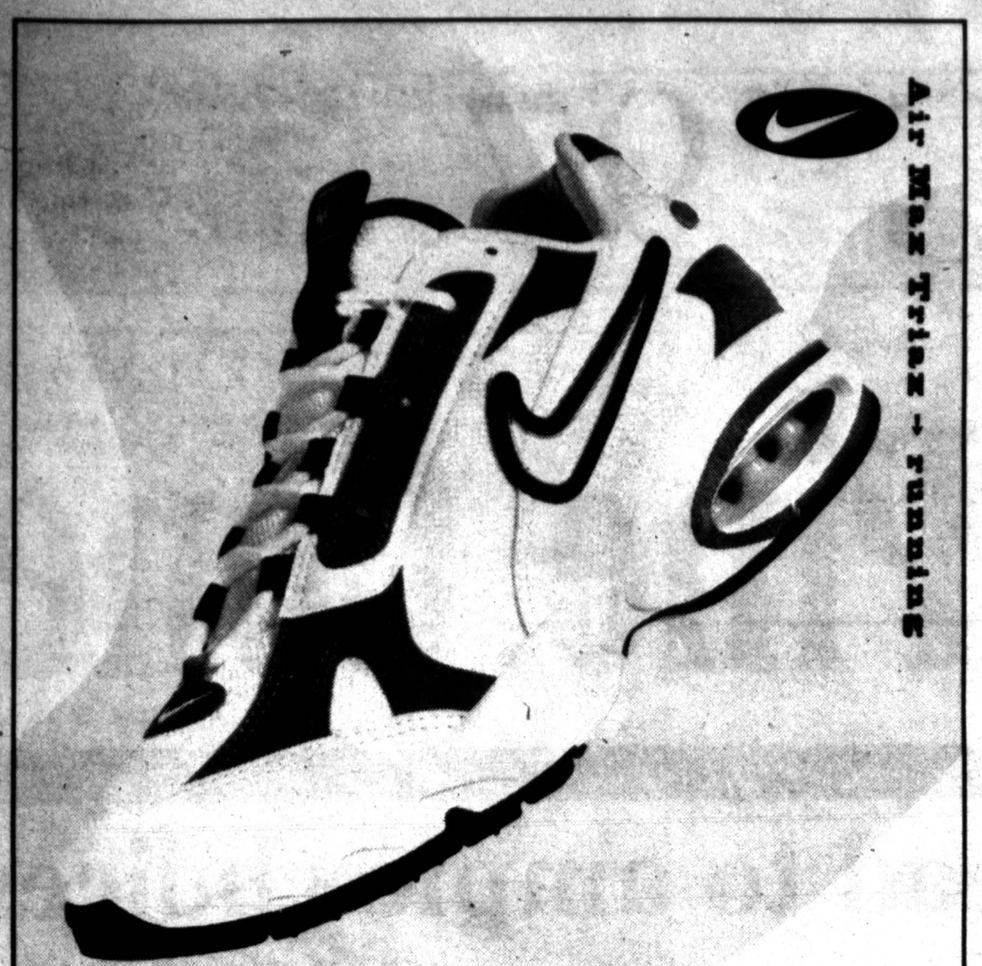
PHOTO/PAUL WOLF

Bob Kohn was a bit taken aback Sunday afternoon when he received the '1996 Citizen of the Year' honor from the Carmel Residents Association. Mary Condry (right), CRA president, and Howard Skidmore, event emcee, were on hand to formally present the honor.



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ASSESSING PANETTA'S WHITE HOUSE LEGACY

■ Special Report: Carmel Valley resident did what he set out to do — improve president's focus, discipline and link with Congress.

By PAUL WOLF

IN JUNE 1994, Leon Panetta could not have found himself at a more challenging moment in history to be tapped by President Clinton as the new White House Chief of Staff.

Pundits, scholars and media observers all said roughly the same thing: Panetta was much-needed medicine for a struggling presidency. Just as former Chief-of-Staff Thomas McLarty admitted he was ill-suited to the job, Panetta was described as the right man to create order out of chaos.

Panetta, a Carmel Valley resident, had been a longtime congressman who had such a good reputation he made the term "respected Washington insider" not seem like an oxymoron.

He first joined the president's cabinet in January 1993 as White House budget director in the midst of various public relations disasters — health care reform, gays in the military, the Air Force One "haircut" incident.

"In the first two years of his presidency, there was a lot of chaos," Panetta said, speaking at a welcome-home event at the Monterey Conference Center Saturday afternoon. "I had three goals: To create better discipline, establish lines of authority and get the president to focus on one message."

Things would get worse before they got better: Midterm elections in November 1994 put both houses of the legislature in GOP hands, conspiring to make Clinton look like a lame duck halfway through his first term.

PHOTO/CHUCK SCARDINA

Leon Panetta, in Monterey last Saturday, told the large audience of how he helped get the Clinton Administration back on track.

Although humble by nature, Panetta, speaking to the press at the Monterey event, appeared confident he had achieved his objectives. But over the course of time, it is the historians who will evaluate Clinton's first term and the influences (Panetta among them) that made the sec-

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Corporate sponsorship idea will be a big hit

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it ever does come before the city council?

Details, details. Let's not be wet blankets here, let's just revel in the glorious new era it will open up for little old Carmel!

FOR example, McKee says she is checking the possibility of getting CORPORATE SPONSORSHIP for the festival!

Wow! A capital idea! Verrry Carmel...

I can see it now — a giant overhead permanent banner spanning Ocean Avenue at Junipero, proclaiming:

"Carmel Is Marlboro Country!"

And they could pass out free Marlboro cigarettes at all the events. And merchants of every kind could be encouraged to display neon "Marlboro Country" signs in their shop windows the whole month of October! (Maybe all year around.)

SOME others that might be contacted as prospective sponsors of individual events during the exciting annual festival include:

Smith & Wesson guns, Coors Beer, Copenhagen Chewing Tobacco, Schenley Distillery, Carl's Jr. ("If it doesn't get all over the place, it doesn't belong in your face"), Taco Bell, Kawasaki Jet Skis, National Enquirer, etc.!

I tell you, the possibilities are endless!

AND perhaps best of all, White said he doesn't think the city and its residents will be on the hook for any of the cost of the whole boffo affair!

Wait a minute, he "doesn't think" they'll have to cough up? Good grief, we remember the last time Carmel was to get a wonderful freebie and ... well, you remember.

LET'S all just hope a group of Parisians isn't behind this one, too. (Sacre bleu!)

But enough of such negative thoughts. Let us all rejoice in the reinvention of Carmel — a process that could inspire a new nickname for the village, like "Little Hollywood"!

OR maybe "Little Vegas." Or "Little Bakersfield." Or ... oh never mind.

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TODAY'S QUOTE . . . William J. Abley:

"Marriage is the only union that cannot be organized. Both sides think they're management."

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AS PROMISED (threatened?) last week, here are Mobil Travel Guide's Three-Star ratings for lodgings and restaurants in the area for 1997 (hey, come back here):

LODGINGS:

■ **Carmel** — Adobe Inn, Carmel Mission Inn, Pine Inn, Tickle Pink Inn, Highlands Inn, La Playa, Carriage House, Mission Ranch.

■ **Monterey** — DoubleTree, Embassy Suites (Mobil thinks it's in Monterey), Hyatt Regency, Marriott, Monterey Plaza, Hotel Pacific, Jabberwock, Spindrift.

■ **Pacific Grove** — Gatehouse, Grand View Inn, Green Gables, Martine.

■ **Carmel Valley** — Los Laureles Lodge.

■ **Big Sur** — Post Ranch Inn.

RESTAURANTS:

■ **Carmel** — Anton & Michel, Casanova, French Poodle, La Boheme, Raffaello, Rio Grill, Sans Souci.

■ **Monterey** — Cibo, Fresh Cream, Sardine Factory, Tarpy's Roadhouse, Triples.

■ **Pacific Grove** — Fandango, Old Bath House.

■ **Big Sur** — Ventana.

■ **Pebble Beach** — Bay Club, Club XIX, Cypress Room.

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NOW THEN . . . KCCN-TV general manager **Mark Faylor** announced the station will change its call letters to KION on March 3.

Why? Because a RADIO station in Hawaii owns the "KCCN" call letters and only LEASES them to the Salinas TV station. So Faylor and Co. decided to get new call letters from FCC they could own out-

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12-year-old Carmel boy witnesses bicycle theft; suspect caught

By PAUL WOLF

THANKS TO the eyewitness account of a 12-year-old Carmel boy who watched the theft of his own beloved bicycle, a thief is spending 10 days in jail.

A Seaside man was arrested Friday, Feb. 14, after stealing a bicycle parked at Lincoln and 12th.

The boy who witnessed the theft furnished police with a report and a description of the bicycle and thief, according to Carmel Police Detective Pete Poitras.

Within 45 minutes, a security guard stationed at the Pebble Beach gate at San Antonio informed police he had just seen the culprit and the two-wheeler.

Carmel Cpl. Steve Rana and Patrol Officer Michael Calhoun made the arrest in Pebble Beach, Poitras said.

The man pled guilty at his arraignment. Not only was he sentenced to 10 days in jail for petty theft; he was given 36 months probation.

Poitras said the chain of events reflected well on everyone but the thief. The victim provided a sound report, the security guard identified the suspect and phoned in the sighting, and police succeeded in making an arrest.

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Sheriff's Log

Surveillance camera 'recorded every move'

HERE'S A LOOK at the more significant items of activity logged by the Monterey County Sheriff's Department from Monday, Feb. 17 through Monday, Feb. 24.

"Carmel" entries do not include calls from within the city limits of Carmel-by-the-Sea, which is under the jurisdiction of the Carmel Police Department.

MONDAY, FEB. 17

Carmel: Four people in different locations reported that the windows of their parked vehicles had been shot out by either a BB or a pellet gun.

Carmel Valley: The end of a garden hose belonging to a restaurant was reportedly cut. The suspect is a tenant who resides near the restaurant.

Carmel: A former gas station employee allegedly used a key to gain entry to the station's office during the night and remove $120 from the cash register. He also was alleged to have pumped $5 worth of gasoline into his vehicle while a surveillance camera "recorded his every move." The station manager phoned the man the next morning and told him to have the money and the key returned before noon. The items were returned just prior to the arrival of deputies.

Carmel Valley: A man reported receiving annoying phone calls from a man he fired more than three years ago.

TUESDAY, FEB. 18

Pebble Beach: Three male juveniles were arrested for using CO_2 guns to shatter windows at three residences.

Carmel Valley: A woman reported that someone stole jewelry from her residence.

Carmel Valley: A man who reported that his business partner closed a bank account without his consent was told to settle the matter in civil court.

Carmel Valley: A woman reported that after her dog and her neighbor's dog were involved in a fight, her neighbor became upset and threatened to kill the woman's dog.

Carmel: A male transient who complained of stomach pains and made repeated references to suicide was placed on a 72-hour mental observation hold at Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula (CHOMP).

Carmel: An 18-year-old man was placed under citizen's arrest for shoplifting one-half pound of barbecued spare ribs valued at $2.30.

Carmel: A travel agency reported receiving calls from a man who used profanity and made threats after learning that the agency would not do business with him because of his abrasiveness.

Carmel Valley: Several juveniles between the ages of 5 and 7 were reprimanded for moving a sign located near a bridge.

WEDNESDAY, FEB. 19

Pebble Beach: A woman reported that her friend and neighbor, who is confined to a wheelchair, had not been seen within the past few days. After a search of the man's residence proved unsuccessful, Pebble Beach Security found that the man had been hospitalized.

Big Sur: A man reported that he left his backpack — containing his passport, airline tickets and other information — outside his vehicle at an inn. The backpack was later turned in by two unknown pedestrians.

Carmel Valley: An official at a middle school reported that the school's basketball backboard and rim, together worth $360, were stolen from a storage closet located inside the school's gym. Class was not in session at the time.

Carmel: A 64-year-old man reported receiving what he believed to be a scam letter sent by the Nigerian National Petroleum Corp. The letter requested that the reporting party submit his bank account number and other personal information in order to receive a percentage of $25 million.

Carmel: A drug store employee reported that after four juveniles left the store he observed one of them removing several items from underneath his clothing.

Carmel: An 80-year-old man reported receiving annoying messages on his answering machine. The unknown female caller left the lengthy, profanity-filled messages for a woman named Marlene. A deputy who visited the residence used a call-back device and was able to leave a message on the caller's answering machine. The female caller later contacted the deputy and stated she had been dialing the wrong number all along.

THURSDAY, FEB. 20

Carmel: A woman reported that she had been awakened by rap music originating from inside a tree service truck.

Pebble Beach: A property manager reported finding trash bins filled with extra yard waste for the past several weeks.

Carmel Valley: A woman reported that her ex-husband had been calling her daily and demanding money.

Carmel: A woman reported that her purse containing $100 had been stolen out of her sport utility vehicle.

Carmel: A convertible vehicle's roof was slit in order to remove a $1,200 CD player.

Carmel: A woman reported that her husband, who suffers from Alzheimer's disease, was missing after visiting the restroom at a shopping center. Two hours later,

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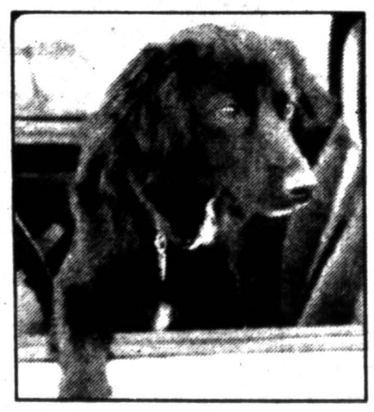
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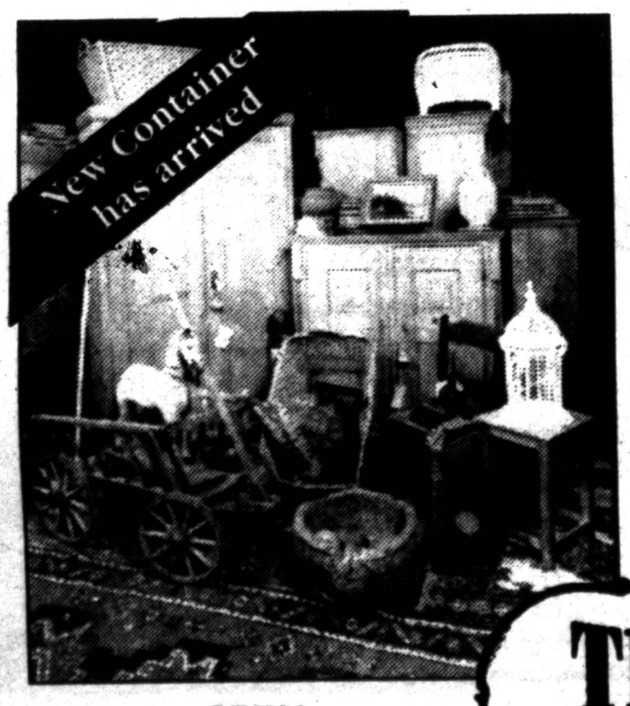

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TRACKING THE SUBTLE REVOLUTION

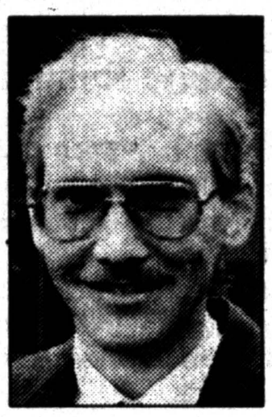
■ With 'second wave' of development occurring in built-out Carmel, city officials are trying to shape tomorrow's village character.

By PAUL WOLF

IT SEEMS FAR too subtle, much too gradual to be considered in revolutionary terms. But there is a quiet transformation occuring, and Carmel city officials are eager to shape change.

Carmel Planning Director Brian Roseth believes there is a valid comparison between the original parceling out of Carmel under such seminal figures as Powers and Devendorf and the current remaking of Carmel's residential zones.

Before the city's incorporation in 1916, the issue was the piecemealing and selling of "raw land" (Roseth's term), while today the issue is the redevelopment of residential property and how it will affect village character in the future.



Brian Roseth

"The city is at a crossroads," Roseth said, noting that applications for redevelopments and extensive remodels now outnumber applications for new houses by a margin of 20-to-1.

As a growing percentage of Carmel's aging housing stock is undergoing or is about to undergo redevelopment and remodel, the new look of Carmel is slowly being born.

Under the lofty banner of the Residential Design Traditions Project, the City of Carmel is assembling a group of citizens to help rewrite, improve and update residential design guidelines and standards.

With a "second wave" of development (better described as "redevelopment") occurring in virtually built-out Carmel, city officials are trying to shape tomorrow's village character.

Earlier this month, the council earmarked $74,000 to pay for a private consultant to work, over a period of about nine to 12 months, in cooperation with the 15-member committee now in formation.

"This is going to be totally a public process," said Carmel Mayor Ken White. "And everybody has to be a part of it."

By the time the process is done, residential zoning standards — coverage, setbacks, floor-area limits, building heights — might be completely rewritten, Roseth suggested. "Or we could find that our current ordinances already do a heck of a good job," he added.

First phase

Taking unanimous action on Feb. 4, the council approved the initial phase of spending ($35,000) for the project, to be spearheaded by Winter and Co. of Boulder, Colo.

The committee, which will hold open meetings, is to include representatives from other city committees and commissions as well as from the real estate, banking, construction and architectural industries. In addition, five committee members will be selected as neighbors-at-large, picked by White and his four fellow council members.

There appear to be some paradoxes in the process of pursuing new and improved guidelines.

As more and more remodels and rebuilds are carried out, city officials and residents want to prevent huge houses on small parcels of land. The implication is that many zoning standards may have to become more restrictive, according to Carmel Councilwoman Barbara Livingston.

"I know when I was running for reelection last year, I heard from a lot of people who were concerned about what is happening to our residential character," she said.

"People are very definitely concerned about too much land coverage," said Carmel Residents Association President Mary Condry. "They are worried about the changing face of the residential districts."

In 1991 at least, they were not worried enough to vote to change the rules for floor-area ratios, rejecting an attempt to make them more restrictive to reduce the maximum size of remodels and redevelopments.

As the issues of coverage and floor-area ratios emerge once again, it is unclear how far beyond "tinkering" with the code the new committee can venture.

While one pressure will be to make rules more restrictive, there will be pressure coming from the opposite direction, as many in town seek to make regulations more flexible.

"I hate recipes," said Councilwoman Paula Hazdovac, responding to the notion of cookie-cutter design standards.

"We may be simplifying a lot of regulations," White said.

According to the mayor, a larger home on a smaller lot might look acceptable so long as the design had a good architect who worked under flexible standards. "It's not always the size of the house, but the flexibility it had in being placed on the lot," he said.

In addition, many property owners will

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♦ **After Breast Cancer Surgery**
For women who have had surgery for breast cancer
Thursday, March 13 • 3:00 - 5:00 p.m. • Call for location
Registration is required • Call 625-4753

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Thursdays, March 13 and 20 (*you must attend both sessions*) • 6:30 - 9:30 p.m.
Classroom 3 • Fee is $30 • Registration is required • Call 625-4708

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Save a life . . . learn CPR!
Saturday, March 15 • 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. • Classroom 3 • Fee is $30
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♦ **Eat for Life**
Learn how nutrition affects people who are HIV+
Thursday, March 20 • 2:00 - 3:00 p.m. • Location to be announced
Free • Registration is required • Call 625-4972

♦ **Heart-Smart Supermarket Tour**
Heart healthy shopping
Thursday, March 20 • 9:00 - 10:30 a.m.
Albertson's Supermarket, Carmel Rancho Shopping Center
$15 per person or $20 per couple, • Registration is required • Call 625-4708

♦ **Breast Self-Exam**
Learn how to examine your breasts and about the role of mammography in cancer detection
Mondays, March 3 • 6:30 - 7:30 p.m.
Mammography Center, 880 Cass Street, Monterey
Free • Registration is required • Call 372-6106

♦ **Weigh of Life for Men**
A program designed to support men trying to lose weight
Mondays, March 3 - June 23 • 6:45 - 9:00 p.m. • Location to be announced
Fee is $475 (payment plan available) • Call 625-4947 for information
Note: Monday, March 3 is a free orientation session from 7:00 - 8:30 p.m.

♦ **American Red Cross Standard First Aid**
Tuesdays • March 11, 6:00 - 10:00 pm **AND** March 18, 6:00 - 9:00 p.m.
(You must attend both sessions)
Classroom 3 • Registration is required • Call 625-4708

♦ **Cancer Concerns in the '90s** — *Meet the Experts: Nutrition and Cancer*
Thursday, March 20 • 5:00 - 7:00 p.m. • Conference Rooms
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Bruce McPherson

Briefly Speaking

Friday: McPherson to speak in Carmel

STATE SEN. Bruce McPherson, R-Santa Cruz, will address statewide legislative concerns of the restaurant industry during the California Restaurant Association, Monterey County Chapter's general membership meeting at 9 a.m. Friday.

The meeting will take place at Portabella restaurant, located on Ocean Avenue in Carmel.

The meeting is free and open to all restaurant owners and managers in Monterey County. Reservations may be made by calling 647-1474.

■ In other news involving McPherson, he has been appointed vice-chair of the Senate Committee on Education. The 13-member committee hears all bills relating to education, higher education and educational personnel.

Saturday: ADD focus of conference

"A.D.D.: Fad or Fact," a conference on Attention Deficit Disorder, will be held from 8:45 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday at the Monterey Conference Center

John Ratey, author of "Driven to Distraction," and Thomas Armstrong, author of "The Myth of the A.D.D. Child," will speak at the event.

Tickets are $95 for Orton Dyslexia Society members and $110 for non-members.

The Monterey Conference Center is located at 1 Portola Plaza in Monterey.

More information: 649-0105 or 659-7653.

Saturday: Carmel Heritage tour offered

CARMEL HERITAGE will offer a historic walking tour of downtown Carmel led by Kay Prine beginning at 1 p.m. Saturday at the Welcome Center, located at Sixth and Lincoln.

The suggested donation is $5.

More information: 624-4447.

Saturday: Rummage sale on tap in CV

FIRST BAPTIST Church of Carmel Valley's Youth Group will conduct a rummage sale from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday at the church located at 8340 Carmel Valley Road.

All proceeds will be used to sponsor the group's upcoming mission trip to Mexico this spring.

More information: 624-5551.

March 6: Blood drive slated in Carmel

THE CARMEL chapter of the American Red Cross will hold a blood drive from 10 a.m. to 2:30 p.m. Thursday, March 6 at the American Legion Hall, located at Eighth and Dolores in Carmel.

All blood donated locally will stay in the community, according to officials.

Prospective donors must be in good health and at least 17 years old (16 with parental consent). A local anesthetic will be given if requested, and a complimentary lunch will be available.

More information: 624-6921.

March 15: Cutting day due in Monterey

MONTEREY PARKS Division's 41st annual Cutting Day and Horticultural Faire will begin at 9 a.m. Saturday, March 15 in Friendly Plaza, Monterey.

Residents are asked to bring their plants and cuttings to a drop-off point located on Pierce Street. Ice plants are discouraged in favor of native plant materials.

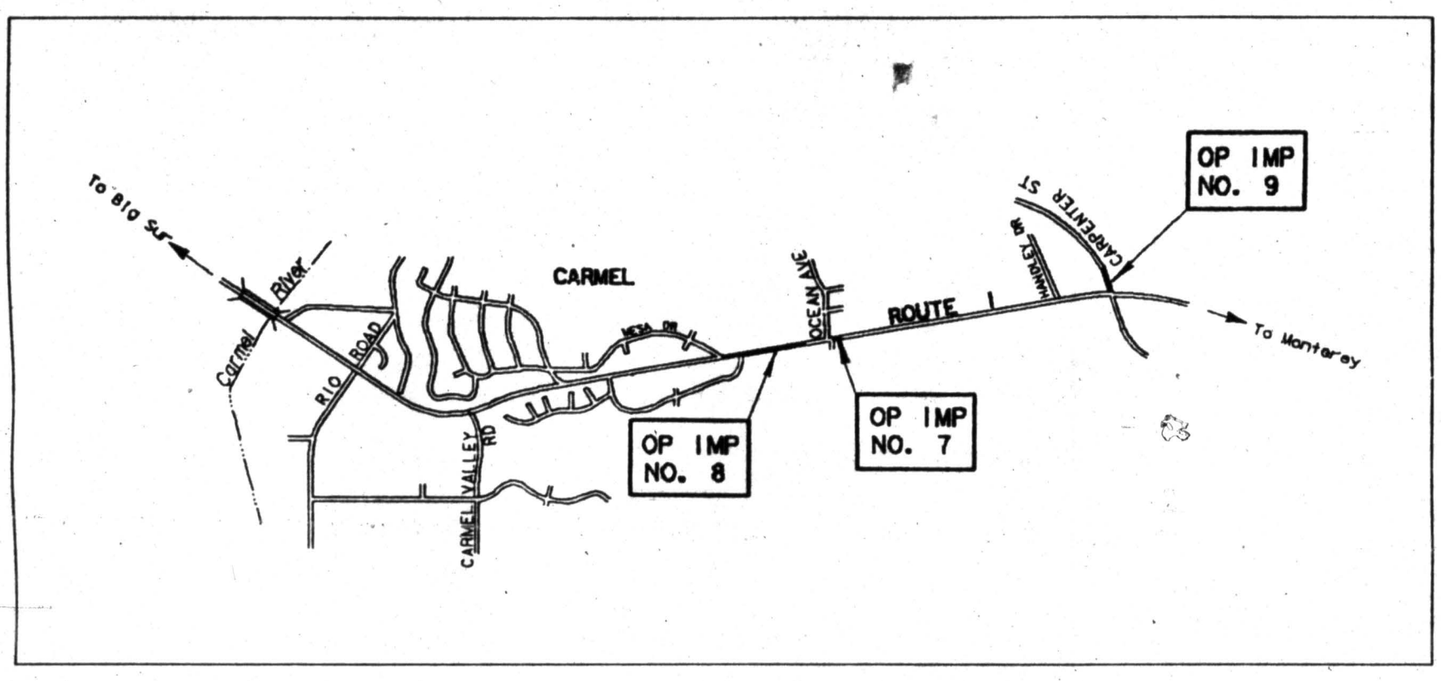
In addition to gathering cuttings, this year's event will include displays on drought-tolerant plants, bonsais, drip irrigation and composting. Experts will offer advice on native seedling planting and collect plastic pots for recycling.

More information: 646-3860.

PUBLIC NOTICE

INITIAL STUDY/ENVIRONMENTAL ASSESSMENT
AVAILABLE FOR THE
PROPOSED OPERATIONAL IMPROVEMENTS
ON HIGHWAY 1 NEAR CARMEL
IN MONTEREY COUNTY

ANNOUNCING A PUBLIC HEARING
March 5, 1997 6:00pm to 8:00pm
Sunset Cultural Center, Carpenter Hall
(San Carlos Street Between 8th and 9th Avenue, Carmel-By-The-Sea



WHAT'S BEING PLANNED

Caltrans (California Department of Transportation) is proposing to construct operational improvements to the existing intersections of Highway 1 with Ocean Avenue (Post Mile 73.81) and with Carpenter Street (Post Mile 74.55), just east of the city of Carmel-By-The-Sea in Monterey County. The projects would provide minor short-term improvements to meet the objectives of the Monterey County Congestion Management Plan and would serve as interim measures until long-term transportation improvements can be completed consistent with the Monterey County Regional Transportation Improvement Program.

WHY THIS AD

The Federal Highway Administration and Caltrans have approved an Initial Study/Environmental Assessment (IS/EA) and anticipates the preparation of a Negative Declaration (ND) for the operational improvement projects. There will also be a Public Hearing to discuss the project and findings of the IS/EA.

WHAT'S AVAILABLE

You can review or obtain a copy of the IS/EA, project maps, and other information at Caltrans district Office - 50 Higuera Street, San Luis Obispo on weekdays from 7:30 am to 4:30 pm. The IS/EA is also available for review at the following locations during normal business hours:

Harrison Memorial Library
Mission & 6th Street
Carmel, CA 93921

Monterey County Library
Carmel Valley Branch
65 W. Carmel Valley Road
Carmel Valley, CA 93924

WHERE YOU COME IN

Caltrans is providing an opportunity for you to review and comment on the proposed projects, the findings of the IS/EA, and the anticipated preparation on an ND for the projects. All comments on the IS/EA which are postmarked by March 20, 1997 will be included in the final environmental document. Your comments should be sent to:

Gary Ruggerone
Environmental Planning Branch
Caltrans District 5
50 Higuera Street
San Luis Obispo, CA 93401

John Schultz
Area engineer
Federal Highway Administration
980 Ninth Street, Suite 400
Sacramento, CA 95814-2724

WHEN & WHERE

A Public Hearing will be held on Wednesday, March 5, 1997 from 6:00 pm until 8:00 pm at the Sunset Cultural Center, Carpenter Hall (San Carlos Street between 8th and 9th Avenue in the City of Carmel-By-The-Sea). A brief presentation will be made by Caltrans and Monterey County Public Works followed by an opportunity for public input. Individuals who require special accommodation (American Sign language interpreter, accessible seating documentation in alternate formats, etc.) should contact the district 05 Public Affairs Office (805-549-3318) at least 14 days prior to the scheduled meeting date. TDD users may contact the California Relay Service TDD line at 1-800-735-2929 or Voice Line at 1-800-735-2922.

CONTACT

For more information on this project, please contact: Mike Giuliano, Project Manager, Caltrans District-5, 50 Higuera Street, San Luis Obispo 93401-5415; telephone (805) 549-3357.

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Supervisor: Welfare reform woes to burden county

Budget may be in balance, but county must find way to deliver welfare services

By PAUL WOLF

COUNTIES THROUGHOUT the nation, including Monterey County, will have to find the money and staffing to meet the needs of former welfare recipients.

So explained 5th District Monterey County Supervisor Dave Potter, who predicted that the fallout from the 1996 welfare-reform legislation will be the biggest problem for the county over the next few years.

"Welfare as we know it is gone, and we don't know what it will look like," said Potter, who was guest speaker at the Carmel Valley Property Owners Association installation Monday evening at St. Phillips Lutheran Church in Carmel Valley.

"The county will be in the position of trying to deliver these services to our diverse community."

The county's $389 million budget currently is in balance, Potter said, but staying in the black will be a challenge as new burdens fall on its shoulders.

While the welfare-reform legislation enacted by Congress and signed by President Clinton last year calls for the states to take over welfare responsibilities, the trend toward decentralization will throw many obligations in the direction of the counties, Potter said.

The supervisor said the following questions remain unanswered:

■ How much will it cost the county each year to provide services for those who have lost their entitlement?

Potter said no official figures are available to answer that question.

■ To what degree can the county serve as an employment agency to search for jobs for the unemployed?

Another question follows: To what extent can the county be involved in job training?

Earlier this year, Monterey County Board of Supervisors Chairman Simon Salinas said that less than 10 percent of the county's budget is "discretionary," that is, unrelated to salaries and other fixed costs.

Dave Potter

New sources of revenue, Salinas said, may be needed to cover the expense of new health and human services.

Potter said channeling former welfare recipients into only low-paying fast-food jobs is not a satisfactory solution.

■ How will the county address the unforeseen consequences of welfare reform?

Potter winces at the image of "seven-year-olds babysitting three-year-olds" because the mother has to work.

Other topics

Fielding questions on varied topics, Potter shared the following views:

■ Carmel Valley has reached, or has nearly reached, its limit on growth that results from subdividing existing parcels, and new legislation is needed to curb it.

Remodels and new homes on lots of record should be permitted, but not "more gated enclaves," he said. "We've had enough."

Potter said he intends to bring to the board of supervisors and finally the voters legislation designed to set limits and establish ground rules for subdivisions. The legislation, he said, likely will be tailored only to the 5th District, which includes the valley, Carmel, Big Sur and most of the Monterey Peninsula.

■ The draft reuse plan for Fort Ord foresees too much growth and is unrealistic.

Potter believes that to be the case because the plan calls for improvements to the county's road systems to be paid for as

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A SPECIAL MESSAGE TO OUR PATIENTS WHO SMOKE

Starting in March, smoking will not be allowed anywhere inside or outside of Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula. This fine-tuning of our previous smoke-free policy means that patients may no longer smoke in their rooms even if they have what used to be known as a "compassionate exception order" from their physicians.

We changed our policy because non-smoking patients and employees complained about the previous policy, which allowed smoking in certain cases. And as a facility concerned with promoting health . . . *your health* . . . we felt we should no longer allow smoking on the premises.

This has the greatest impact on the 10 to 15 percent of our patients who smoke. If you are in this group and know you're going to be admitted to Community Hospital, talk to your doctor. Plan for ways you can reduce your discomfort, such as nicotine gum or patches. Better yet, use this opportunity to quit. Community Hospital has a variety of resources, from classes taught by ex-smokers to a free stop-smoking support group. For information, call the Comprehensive Cancer Center hotline at 625-4753. You'll be glad you did.

Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula

PRELIMINARY

The Regular Meeting
March 4, 1997 • Tuesday
3:30 p.m. Open Session
(Council Chambers)

East side of Monte Verde Street between Ocean and Seventh Avenues

Hearing assistance units are available to the public for meetings held in the Council Chambers

I. Call to Order (3:30 p.m.)
II. Roll Call
III. Pledge of Allegiance
The Pledge of Allegiance will be led by Cadette Girl Scout Troop No. 2084
IV. Extraordinary Business
A. Presentation of a Ten-year Service Award to Ronald V. Spicer, Police Corporal/Computer Specialist
B. Receive presentation on the 1996 Downtown Carmel-by-the-Sea Composite Trip-Reduction Program prepared by the Transportation Agency of Monterey County
V. Announcements from Closed Session, from City Council Members and the City Administrator
A. Announcements from Closed Session
B. Announcements from City Council representatives on outside agencies
C. Announcements from the City Administrator
VI. Appearances
VII. Consent
A. Approve the City Council minutes for the meetings of 3 and 4 February, 1997, copies having been distributed to members of the City Council
B. Approve the bills paid for the month of February, copies having been distributed to members of the City Council
C. Refer 1996 Carmel-by-the-Sea Trip-Reduction Report to the Planning Department for review and action
D. Approve the response to the Grand Jury's report regarding the Air Quality Management District and low-income housing
E. Deny and refer claim for damages in an amount unknown — John F. Duncan
F. Receive and adopt the Work Program for Advanced Planning Projects for Calendar Year 1997
G. Adopt Resolution No. 97-21 authorizing the closure of Mission Street between Ocean and 6th Avenues on Saturday, March 29, 1997, from 7:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. for the Breakfast with the Bunny and EggStravaganza
H. Adopt Resolution No. 97-22 dissolving the Carpenter Street Traffic and Safety Committee as of 30 March 1997, expressing the Council's gratitude for the dedicated service and accomplishments of the Committee Members, and directing the disposition of $1,650 in donated funds
I. Adopt Resolution No. 97-25 authorizing the purchase of a 1997 Ford Crown Victoria Police vehicle in the amount of $30,957.71 for use by the Police Department
J. Adopt Resolution No. 97-26 agreeing to cosponsor the 1997 Annual Donor Salute with the Harrison Memorial Library Board of Trustees and the Carmel Public Library Foundation Board
K. Adopt Resolution No. 97-27 entering into a contract with Brian Congleton AIA in an amount not to exceed $6,000 for design services for the Sunset Center Restroom Renovation
L. Adopt Resolution No. 97-24 entering into a contract with Flesher and Foster Architects in an amount not to exceed $7,500 for the engineering and architectural needs assessment of the Harrison Memorial Library
M. Adopt Resolution No. 97-29 accepting a donation of $1,500 from the organization known as the Yellow Brick Road to be used for the Police Department's Seniors Helping Seniors Program
VIII. Public Hearings
A. Consideration of an appeal of the decision of the Planning Commission denying an application for demolition of an existing residence, use permit authorizing the construction of a 10-unit residential care facility with on-site surface parking, design review, floor area ratio variance, and review of a proposed Negative Declaration. The facility is to be located on the west side of Mission Street between 7th and 8th Avenues (Block 90, Lot 9 and portion of Lot 11). The appellant, John Mandurrago, had dropped the appeal.
B. Consideration of Ordinance No. 97-02 amending Municipal Code Sections 17.06.076 and 17.06.040 related to the definitions and standards for restaurants and food uses in the commercial district (first reading)
C. Consideration of Ordinance No. 97-03 amending Chapter 17.26 of the Municipal Code to rezone the Piccadilly Park Property (Block 75, Lot 11) from Central Commercial (CC) to P-2 (Improved Parklands) (first reading)
IX. Ordinances
A. Consideration of Ordinance No. 97-04 amending Title 2, Chapter 2.38 of the Municiple code, Recreation Commission, by changing the name of the Recreation Division to Community Activities and Recreation Division, and the name of the Recreation Commission to the Community Activities and Recreation Commission (Ist reading)
X. Orders of Council
A. Consideration of request of Council Members Livingston and Hydorn to review the plans for the Carmel Performing Arts Festival and provide policy direction to staff
B. Receive staff report on Policy C95-06, Short-term Private Use of Public Spaces and Municipal Buildings for Special Events and consider Resolution No. 97-23 amending said Policy.
C. Receive staff status report on the process, tasks, financing issues and schedules for the next phase of development of the Sunset Center Theater Project and provide policy direction
D. Receive report from the City Administrator on the impacts of Proposition 218
E. Consideration of request of Council Member Livingston to direct staff to amend City Council Policy C95-08, Holiday Lights, to address outdoor holiday lights in the residential areas and window lighting in the commercial district
F. Receive staff report on options for street-name signs and provide policy direction
G. Receive staff report on options related to street repairs on Ocean Avenue between Carpenter Street and Junipero Avenue and provide policy direction
XI. Resolutions
See Consent Calendar and Orders of Council.
XII. Adjournment
The next meetings of the City Council will be:
The Regular Meeting
Tuesday • April 1, 1997 • 3:00 p.m. (Closed Session) • 3:30 p.m. (Open Session)
City Hall Council Chambers

BUDGET: Public works in spotlight

From page 1

arts and cultural organizations, such as the Bach Festival and the Monterey County Symphony.

The 1991-92 budget was the last time grants were passed out — $40,370 to 13 nonprofit groups.

■ The reintroduction of grants to social service organizations, such as the Carmel Red Cross, Meals on Wheels and the Alliance on Aging.

The 1991-92 budget set aside $21,739 for these organizations, but no further grants from the city have been awarded.

White's top priority

While these and dozens of other items have been floating around, Mayor Ken White contended the improvement, repair and maintenance of the city's streets, buildings and facilities would remain his top priority.

White's focus on public works projects does not take into account the plans now afoot for a major renovation of the Sunset Center Theater complex, whose projected $12.9 million cost would be paid for entirely or in part by the efforts of a private fund-raising group.

At present, the city has been spending roughly $300,000 a year on the kinds of deferred repairs and capital projects White is concerned about. The mayor appears determined to see infrastructure funding increase — a move that would take precedence over new services, staff positions and programs that could be introduced.

Carmel resident Lou Rolle argued that the same focus that had recently gone into bolstering the reserve accounts should now be put toward infrastructure improvements — hundreds of thousands of dollars that need to be spent on storm drains, seismic upgrades and street paving over the next several years.

Kersnar suggested that public works projects shouldn't be the only budget items worth considering for next year's budget. "Yes, we have to think about deferred maintenance, but I don't want there to be a panic that our buildings are all about to fall down," Kersnar told the council.

The city administrator, however, told The Pine Cone there may be overly high expectations for new spending.

True enough, $700,000 to $800,000 of the annual budget is within the framework of "discretionary spending," according to Kersnar. But that category is not new spending as such, and deleting any program that relies on discretionary funding likely would stir a controversy.

Last year, an improved fiscal outlook provided for only $78,000 in new spending. Most of that money went toward the addition of a new code-enforcement/assistant planner position.

Despite good times, most needs destined to be left unfunded

By PAUL WOLF

THE CARMEL City Council Tuesday agreed that choices are wonderful, but too many are a pain.

In the coming weeks, City Administrator Jere Kersnar will meet with city department heads to create a more manageable and realistic list of priorities. Kersnar will return to the council with cost estimates for each priority.

Meanwhile, council members will hold a goal-setting session to make easier their job of firming up the 1997-98 budget priorities later this spring.

The massive list of 300 spending goals was a kind of consolidated wish list from council members, the planning commission, the forest and beach commission, the community and cultural commission and other advisory committees.

The following are a fraction of the total list of items. Cost implications are not specified. By all indications, most of these items and many others will not be funded in the new budget.

■ **Policies and process:**
— Remove unnecessary stop signs.
— Sell certain city facilities, such as the Scout House and Flanders Mansion, to provide funds to develop Rio Park.

■ **General Budget:**
— Create and fund an interest-bearing deposit account for the proposed Sunset

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ZONING: Proposed ordinances due

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assert their rights, arguing that the community as a whole shouldn't pass judgment on their private tastes or compromise their property values.

White said he hopes the consultant and the committee will have assembled a set of proposed zoning ordinances by late this year or early 1998. Their recommendations first will go to the Carmel Planning Commission, and then to the Carmel City Council.

Although calling the project "worthwhile," Hazdovac said she nevertheless has reservations about the amount of money that needs to be spent for the outside consultant.

Hazdovac said she believes there probably was enough expertise within the community to revised the guidelines. "I hope the consultant will stick to the technical work, while a lot of the ideas will come from the citizens. The citizens' group could have done the work, and the consultant could have come in later for the fine-tuning. This ($74,000) is a lot of money."

Roseth said a professional consultant is needed to provide graphics, commuter models and "depictions of alternate build-out futures."

The director added that the committee needed to include so many people because "this whole exercise takes into account so many disciplines, and it has the potential to affect our community so profoundly."

KOHN: CRA's 'Citizen of the Year'

From page 1

"A concern for both people and nature fills Bob Kohn's hundreds of hours of self-imposed duties," Skidmore said.

On hand to honor Kohn was Rep. Sam Farr, D-Carmel, who presented a Congressional certificate of recognition.

"Bob is a good ambassador for Carmel," Farr said.

Dave Potter, Fifth District Monterey County supervisor, said to Kohn: "People like you are the pulse of the community."

He added that "the recognition of your peers is the kind of recognition that matters the most. It is an accolade that most people don't get in their lives."

Certificates were also passed along from State Sen. Bruce McPherson, R-Santa Cruz, and Assemblyman Fred Keeley, D-Aptos, neither of whom could attend the event.

Roughly two dozen nominations were considered for Citizen of the Year, according to one CRA source.

Festivities on Sunday included abundant food and drink donated by 21 Carmel restaurants.

Carmel Valley Outlook

Youth center playground to get facelift

Outdated equipment spurs locals' action; $25,000 still needed

By VIRGINIA PARKE

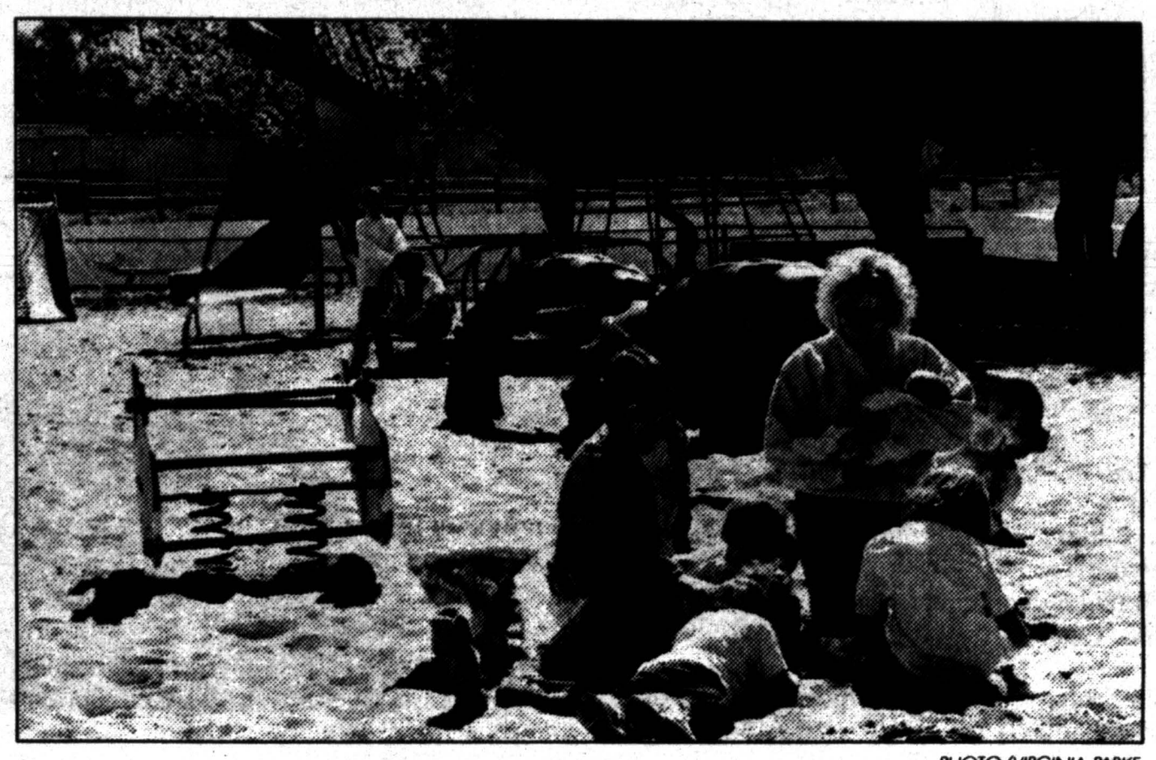
A BIG, RED fire engine. A miniature would-be fireperson. A playground. A sunny day.

These are ingredients of childhood adventure, at least according to Kelsey Hall, 5, as she scampered up the 1948 White/Van Pelt Fire Engine #701 housed at the Carmel Valley Community Youth Center's playground.

"This is the funnest part!" Hall exclaimed.

Adventure is a child's learning tool. A playground, like the Hundred-Acre Wood in A. A. Milne's "Winnie-the-Pooh" stories, needs to be a safe, while stimulating, environment.

The problem with the center's playground is its age.



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Diane Morrow (left) and committee chairperson Beth Hall (holding baby) are eager to view the Carmel Valley Community Youth Center's playground after it has been renovated. The playground was constructed more than 20 years ago, and equipment is outdated.

Safety hazards

Constructed more than 20 years ago, the playground equipment is outdated and possesses potential safety hazards addressed by current playground equipment design. As Eeyore, the gloomy donkey in the Pooh stories would say, "It is in a Very Sad Condition."

Beth Hall volunteered to chair a renovation and renewal committee to raise the funds needed to redesign and replace current equipment. She began in last October with a community-wide survey.

To date, $35,000 of the $60,000 needed has been raised through a grant from the AT&T Golf Foundation, a Carmel Valley Kiwanis Club contribution, individual donations and the recent fundraiser at the Monterey Bay Aquarium.

"Many families, like ours, live on the hills that surround the Village. The playground is one of the few places we can take our children to play and interact with others outdoors," Beth observed, watching her son Joey, age 9, whoosh down the slide

In compliance

Hall was joined at the playground by board committee members Nick Craft, president of the Center; Dave Lyon; Steve Anderson; Meridth Manhard and Joe Hertlein.

She explained the new equipment plan will be in compliance with the American Society of Testing and Measurement, the Consumer Product Safety Commission and the American Disability Act standards.

Lyon, seated on a swing, pointed out that the renovated playground will be fenced, providing two age-appropriate areas: one for children 2 to 5 and the other for kids up to 12. He began swinging, noting, "This swing was higher off the ground when I was a kid."

Kim Crawford, watching her son

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Gardiner mourns loss of Caen

Tennis Ranch owner recalls friendship with famed columnist

By JERRY STEWART

WHILE THE famed columnist touched many lives, one Carmel Valley man will fondly remember Herb Caen's special presence.

John Gardiner, who owns and operates John Gardiner's Tennis Ranch in Carmel Valley, had an enduring friendship with the San Francisco Chronicle's beloved journalist.

As a tennis instructor in 1949 at the Beach Club in Pebble Beach, Gardiner first made contact with the witty Pulitzer Prize-winner, who died Feb. 1.

"I gave him tennis lessons," said Gardiner, who helped put tennis on the map in this country. "I got him playing fairly well and told him to never tell anyone that I had given him lessons. He got a real kick out of that. He was competitive as hell."

Years later, Gardiner said that Caen wanted to make a visit out to Gardiner's Tennis Ranch.

"He said he wanted to see the Ranch because he had heard that it was three courts and a wheat field," said Gardiner.

"So we took Herb out and put him with an electronic ball machine. We had him running around all over the place and I asked how he liked it. He replied, 'Just turn that darn thing off.' "

'He said he wanted to see the Ranch because he had heard that it was three courts and a wheat field.'

— JOHN GARDINER

Roots of a friendship

As time progressed, the two became close friends.

"I'd go up to see him in The City and he would make a trip to the Ranch two to three times a year," Gardiner said. "He even brought his son, Christopher, who's now 45 years old, out to the tennis camp."

According to Gardiner, who opened the Tennis Ranch in 1957, Caen was always bursting with energy.

"Herb would put in a full day of work and then want to stay out late and socialize."

Caen had penned a column for the San Francisco Chronicle from 1938 to 1950, before moving to the rival Examiner for eight years. He then returned to his familiar spot at the Chronicle in 1958, and remained there for the next 39 years.

"He understood all levels of humanity," Gardiner said. "He was just as big and friendly with the people on the streets as with the people who had everything. He knew everyone."

Caen's gift, according to Gardiner, was his forthrightness. Of course, Caen was the first to enjoy a good debate.

"We used to debate over who was a better clarinet player, Benny Goodman or Pete Fountain," said Gardiner. "I would try to convince Herb that Fountain was better, but no one could tell Herb that Goodman wasn't the best."

The right fit

Gardiner said he felt that San Francisco, or "Baghdad by the Bay," as Caen referred to it, was a great fit for the writer.

"His scope was the world, and at times San Francisco can seem like the crossroads," said Gardiner.

Above all, Gardiner, 79, said he will miss the dinners shared at the Ranch with his friend.

"We're really going to miss him this year because we'll be celebrating our 40th anniversary and he was with all of us at the 25th anniversary," Gardiner observed.

For the Chronicle and its hundreds of thousands of readers, the loss is just as keen.

"I don't know where the Chronicle is going to find another Herb Caen," said Gardiner. "For a lot of people, breakfast just won't seem as important anymore because Herb won't be with them. Some people may find themselves skipping breakfast, or eating pancakes later in the day."

Rancho Cañada's Friday Night
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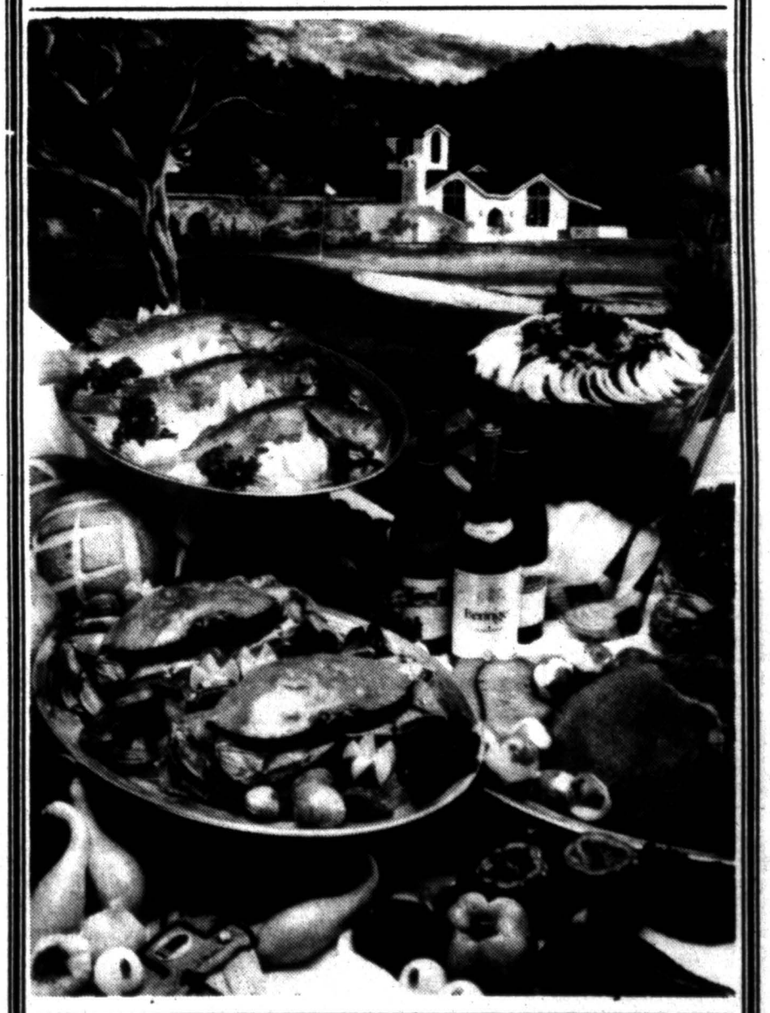

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Gearing up for Ranchers' Days

Though event isn't until Aug. 20-24, first general meeting set for March 6

CV OUTLOOK STAFF REPORT

"IF YOU'VE got the time, we'll put you to work."

So explained Ron Builta, president of the Carmel Valley Ranchers' Day event, slated for Aug. 20-24.

Those eager to help organize the 14th annual event are invited to attend the year's first general meeting, at 7:30 p.m. Thursday, March 6 at the CV Trail and Saddle Club, located on East Garzas Road.

Builta said roughly a dozen committees will be set up to organize the myriad of events, food preparations and business sponsorships.

Those interested in joining the general membership should come to the meeting and sign up for those areas in which they wish to participate.

Organizational meetings will be held monthly or more frequently, with dates to be announced, Builta said.

The five-day program includes riding events that test traditional ranchers' skills, contests for prizes, a parade, barbecues, western music and many other attractions.

Ranchers' Days is the valley's biggest fundraiser, with last year's event generating about $10,000 for area government programs, Builta said.

PLAYGROUND: May targeted for completion

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Chris, 6, stated, "The grounds are neat and clean. We are lucky to have it." Chris, racing by with a playmate, would probably agree with Piglet from the Pooh stories, that "It's so much more friendly with two."

PHOTO/VIRGINIA PARKE

Jessy Warner and Naoko Nakagami are but two of the children who will benefit from the renovation of the Carmel Valley playground.

The playground also offers parents a place to spend quality time with their children. Don Weber, gently pushing the swing for his daughter Shannah, age 6, smiled at her obvious delight. Great-grandmother Beverly Pettersen, grandparents Linda and John Radon, and mother Lisa Radon Kimball responded to calls for assistance and "watch me" from Oscar, age 3, and Molly, 2. Linda proudly proclaimed that there are four generations playing together.

Diane Morrow, playing with Kimberly, age 7, Wesley, 3, and Kaylee, 17 months, was enthusiastic about the center's vision of a playground with more trees for shade and a fenced area for the smaller children. "That will make our outings even more fun in the future."

The target renovation completion date is May 1. There will be bridges to cross, towers to climb, passages to explore, slides that twist and turn, swings of different heights, and overhead ladders to swing from. The big red fire engine, a historical monument, will have its own space apart from the playground, just to keep all would-be fireperson's imagination afire!

Other members of the center's board, Rick Simms, Brian McCoy, John Edwards, Stephi Waldrip, Susan Estes, Lee Rieman (center manager) with groundskeeper Lee Warner, urge families to take advantage of all the facilities.

The center, founded in 1957, includes a playground, a swimming pool, a hall available for meetings, a public outdoor stage, a barbecue and picnic area. Located at 25 Ford Road, it is adjacent to the Carmel Valley Park.

Call for volunteers

Volunteers who wish to assist in the playground renovation can call Beth Hall at 659-0925. Donations are tax-deductible and can be sent to: Carmel Valley Community Youth Center, P. O. Box 124, Carmel Valley, CA 93924. "Playground donation" should be noted on the check.

"Play is what children do best," observes Tigger the bouncing tiger character in the Pooh stories. The new playground promises to be as much fun and as safe as the Hundred-Acre Wood and it will continue to be a place of adventure for children of all ages.

"TTFN," meaning, in Tigger language, "Ta-Ta For Now."

POTTER

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development occurs, instead of upfront.

"The EIR (environmental impact report) assumes there will be the political will to raise the money to mitigate Fort Ord's impacts," Potter said. "But there isn't that will."

The reuse plan envisions 71,773 people living on Fort Ord by the year 2045, as compared to the roughly 30,000 people who lived on the base under the Army.

■ The California-American Water Co.'s proposal for a No-Growth Carmel River Dam — same project as the New Los Padres Dam but without a new growth reserve — is misguided.

The supervisor argued that no proposals for new dams should come forward so soon after the November 1995 electoral rejection of a dam.

"To bring back the same project twice in the same year is a little like getting sand kicked in your eye — it's an insult," he said.

Potter said he doesn't support a smaller dam on the river, explaining that "the people of Cachaugua won't buy even a smaller dam."

A variety of small projects — desalination, new wells, conservation — are the best way to address Cal-Am's overpumping of the river, as cited by the State Water Resources Control Board.

The supervisor said any dam proposal would divide the community and be the the wrong approach to solving the water problem.

Rare Finds on the Peninsula

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Her knowledge of the meaning of different colors of candles can guide buyers in tapping into positive forces. Cohen imports her candles from New York, where they are imbued with her own formulations. She stocks essential oils for use with candles and a variety of holders. She also reads Tarot cards.

Secrets of the Wise is open daily at 149 The Crossroads, Carmel. Call 625-2333.

A Stitch in Tyme

Whether beginner or highly experienced, fans of knitting and needlework will find their needs met at two Monterey shops, both located at 631 Cass St., next to The Whaler.

Needlepoint Gallery is the source for needlepoint products of all kinds: kits and hand-painted canvases, little jewelry boxes finished except for their needlepoint tops, a spectrum of stitching yarns.

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Trailside Americana

Colorful and light-filled paintings are featured at Trailside Americana Fine Art Galleries, where a collection of new works by Robert Moore has arrived.

Moore at one time aspired to be a lawyer. After earning his bachelor's degree and teaching credential, the artist chose to follow his heart. His desire eventually brought him a full scholarship at the Art Center College of Design in Pasadena, where he graduated with honors.

Inspired by such masters as Joaquin Sorrolla and Isaac Leviton, Moore also credits popular impressionist Dan McCaw for influencing his approach to color harmonies and light. His studio, located on the Snake River in Idaho, is surrounded by the same scenic beauty that first captivated him as a child.

Since 1987, Moore has been featured in one-man shows throughout the West. A near sell-out at Trailside Americana last March attests to Moore's increasing popularity as an American impressionist.

The gallery is on Lincoln and Sixth in downtown Carmel. Call 624-5071.

A Feature of THE CARMEL PINE CONE

'A special touch to Pacific Grove'

Gloria Hughes, a member of the sales staff at The Woodenickel, is but one reason why the store has achieved success during its 13-year tenure in Pacific Grove. Last week, the store was honored with the PG Chamber of Commerce's annual Award of Excellence.

PHOTO/SUSAN BECK

PG Chamber recognizes Woodenickel with Award of Excellence

By JERRY STEWART

FOR BARBARA Hammel, Kay Sharp and Nancy Eadington, co-owners of The Woodenickel in Pacific Grove, it all started 13 years ago.

The three women worked the now-defunct H & H Home Center in Seaside when the same idea flashed in each of their minds.

"We all really wanted to do something on our own," said Hammel. "We wanted to be in business for ourselves, and the theme of country in decor was emerging then."

So in 1984 the three women opened The Woodenickel, specializing in vintage furniture, hand-picked gifts and home accessories with Victorian, country and traditional flavors.

Last Thursday, the store received the Award of Excellence from the Pacific Grove Chamber of Commerce and Monterey County, which cited quality service and commitment to the retail industry.

"Receiving both awards was overwhelming," said Hammel. "We know we have a good thing going but never thought we'd be acknowledged by the city or county."

Hammel noted that the awards were for everyone involved in the business.

"We have a great staff of employees and we're all part of the team," she said.

Blazing a trail

Moe Ammar, executive director of PG's Chamber of Commerce, said the three women have set an example for other merchants in downtown P.G.

"They work very hard and have remained in business even through the tough economic years in the past," Ammar said. "People call the Chamber of Commerce asking about The Woodenickel and new businesses want to be nearby. The Woodenickel brings a special touch to PG."

According to Ammar, another factor that helped The Woodenickel win the awards was its constant support of "Burst of Spring," an annual event promoting downtown PG which will be held on March 15 this year.

Nevertheless, things did not go as smoothly in the beginning.

"It took us a while to find the right place for the store, and getting a loan was an obstacle, " said Hammel.

Some of the ladies' friends were skeptical as well.

"They were afraid for us. They would say, 'Why go into business for yourself? It's so risky.' "

But eventually everything came together.

"The idea of the store was to give customers a feeling of nostalgia," Hammel said. "We wanted to offer customer service as it was in the good old days and downtown PG was the perfect site."

The store's location, 529 Central Ave., was an empty lot until that day in 1984.

"We were the first group to look at the architectural

See ***WOODENICKEL*** *page 17*

The Woodenickel owners Nancy Eadington, Kay Sharp and Barbara Hammel had reason to smile last week.

WOODENICKEL: WHERE & WHEN

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970213

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **ARCHIPELACO PRODUCTIONS, A DIVISION OF HARCOURT BRACE & COMPANY, 70 Garden Court, Ste. 300, Monterey, Ca. 93940.**

SANDRA CONROY, 70 Garden Ct., Ste. 300 Mtry. Ca. 93940.

This business is conducted by a Division of Harcourt Brace & Co.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 8/15/96.

(s) Sandra Conroy

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970380

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **HEALTHY OPTIONS, 3855 Via Nona Marie, Carmel, Ca. 93923.**

LAURA A. REED, 12 Lazy Oaks, Carmel Valley, Ca. 93924.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 3/1/97.

(s) Laura A. Reed

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(PC264)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970205

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **CYPRESS POINT CONSULTING, 1405A Plumas Ave., Seaside, Ca. 93955.**

JESSE D. WORTHEN, 1485 A. Plumas Ave., Seaside, Ca. 93955.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1/30/97.

(s) Jesse D. Worthen

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(PC267)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970273

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **MONTEREY PENINSULA UMPIRES ASSOCIATION, 2010 Sunset, Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.**

WILLIAM BORIS URETSKY, 411 Granite Street, Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.

This business is conducted by a joint venture.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/06/97.

(s) William B. Uretsky

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(PC269)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970082

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **CLASSIC TOWING, 756 Verlin Ave., #6, Salinas, Ca. 93901.**

PEDRO GONZALEZ, 12903 Arthur St. Salinas, Ca. 93906.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1/15/97.

(s) Pedro M. Gonzalez

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(PC270)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970296

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **GREEN CAB, 13 Brooklyn, Pajaro, Ca. 95076.**

LUIS J. LOMELI, 13 Brooklyn, Pajaro, Ca. 95076.

This business is conducted by an individual.

(s) Luis J. Lomeli

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970198

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **LAURA'S INCOME TAX SERVICE, 40614 El Camino Real, Suite B. Greenfield, Ca. 93927.**

LAURA E. GUILLEN, 1294 West St., Soledad,Ca. 93960.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1/06/97.

(s) Laura E. Guillen

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970383

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **MAVERICK ENTERPRISES, 18 Dunecrest Ave., Monterey, Ca. 93940.**

MICHAEL WAYNE NORMAN, 18 Dunecrest Ave., Monterey, Ca. 93940.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 6/1/76.

(s) Michael Wayne Norman

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970382

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **SHERRY LEWIS CONSTRUCTION, License #732359. 30315 Chualar Cyn. Rd., Chualar, Ca. 93925.**

SHARON L. LEWIS, 30315 Chualar Cyn. Rd., Chualar, Ca. 93925.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/21/97

(s) Sharon L. Lewis

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F962361

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **THE CULTURE GAP, Garrapata Canyon (P.O. Box 223343) Carmel, Ca. 93922.**

SUSAN N. BARNETT, Garrapata Canyon, (P.O. Box 223343) Carmel, Ca. 93922.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 10/15/96.

(s) Susan N. Barnett

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Dec. 20, 1997.

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(PC265)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970159

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **CONSTRUCTION UNLIMITED, 241 Reindollar Ave., Marina, Ca. 93933.**

DAN SCHOENBRUN, 241 Reindollar, Marina, Ca. 93933.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1/27/97.

(s) Dan Schoenbrun

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970290

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **KLAJ ENTERPRISES, 1260 John St., A-1, Salinas, Ca. 93905.**

KEVIN MICHAEL McKAY, 1260 John St., A-1 Salinas, California 93905.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/7/97.

(s) Kevin McKay

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970284

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **CURTIS LANDSCAPE SERVICES, 111 Hidden Valley Rd., Watsonville, Ca. 95076.**

JOSEPH T. CURTIS, 111 Hidden Valley Rd., Watsonville, Ca. 95076.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Feb. 7, 1997.

(s) Joseph T. Curtis

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970242

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **CARMEL CUTLERY, 6th and Dolores, Carmel, Ca. 93921.**

SCOTT AUTREY, 567 Iris, Watsonville, Ca. 95076.

TANYA JOHNSON, 660-36th Ave., Santa Cruz, Ca. 95062.

This business is conducted by co-partners.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on May 2, 1994.

(s) Tanya Johnson,
(s) Scott Autrey

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970241

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **HIGHER GROUND COFFEEHOUSE/ BOOKSTORE 3056 Del Monte Blvd., Suite #204, Marina, Ca. 93933.**

DONA S. PUTNAM, 3115 Flower Circle, Marina, CA. 93933.

LARRY BRYCE PUTNAM, 3115 Flower Circle, Marina, CA. 93933.

This business is conducted by a husband and wife.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on May 1, 1997.

(s) Dona S. Putnam

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(PC271)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970115

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **GOOD VIBRATIONS MOBILE DISC JOCKEYS, 21 Primrose Cir., Seaside, Ca. 93955.**

MARTIN D. SATOW, 21 Primrose Cir., Seaside, Ca. 93955.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1/22/92.

(s) Martin D. Satow

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970292

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **K.L.A.S.S. 1879 Jacklyn Court, Watsonville, Ca. 95076.**

MARK STEVEN KAPLAN, 1879 Jacklyn Ct., Watsonville, Ca. 95076.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/7/97.

(s) Mark Kaplan

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970322

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **CHIC TO CHIC, JW Enterprises, 380 Foam St., Ste A., Monterey, Ca. 93940.**

JUDITH W. FREY, 520 10th St., Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/25/97.

(s) Judith W. Frey

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(PC274)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970260

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **CHATEL & CO. 104 Crossroads Blvd. Carmel, Ca. 93923.**

CHATEL INC. Carmel, 104 Crossroads Blvd., Ca. 93923.

This business is conducted by a corporation.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Feb. 5, 1997.

(s) Hugues Beck, president

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970268

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **MEDICAL-LEGAL CONSULTING, 139 Auburn St., Salinas, Ca. 93901.**

JAMES WOODS, MD, 344 Riker St., Salinas, Ca. 93901.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on March 1, 1997.

(s) James Woods, M.D.

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(PC276)

NOTICE OF PUBLIC MEETING SETTING THE RATE OF THE FIRE MITIGATION FEE CYPRESS FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that on Thursday, the 27th day of February, 1997, at 2:30 p.m., at the District firehouse located at 3775 Rio Road., Carmel, California, the Board of Directors of the Cypress Fire Protection District will meet to make the required findings and to set the rate of the fire mitigation fee to be requested to the Board of Supervisors by the District as specified by Section 10.80.160 of the Monterey County Code, Monterey County Ordinance Number 3602.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that the information on the proposal is available between the hours of 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. at the District firehouse for inspection by interested taxpayers.

NOTICE IS FURTHER GIVEN that at the time and place above designated for the meeting to set the rate of fire mitigation fees, any taxpayer may appear and be heard regarding this issue.

Publication dates: Feb. 27, 1997.

Date: February 18, 1997
(s) Gayle Sheppard
Secretary of the Board
(PC277)

NOTICE OF INTENDED BULK TRANSFER
(Commercial Code Section 6107)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that LINDA Y. CAROL, whose business address is SE Corner of Ocean Avenue and Monte Verde Avenues, Carmel, California 93921, intends to transfer to GORDON D. AALTO and ALMA N. ALLEN whose address is 1217 San Carlos, Avenue, San Carlos, CA 94070, the following property located at: SE Corner of Ocean Avenue and Monte Verde Avenue, Carmel, California all the trade fixtures, equipment, inventory and supplies of that certain business known as THE TREASURE CHEST.

During the three years immediately past, THE TREASURE CHEST has conducted business under the following names at the following addresses: SE Corner of Ocean Avenue and Monte Verde Avenue, Carmel, Ca. 93921.

The aforementioned transfer will be consummated on or after April 1, 1997, at the office of RONALD A. PARRAVANO, Attorney at Law, 419 Webster Street, Ste. 100, Monterey, California 93940.

Claims of creditors may be filed with RONALD A. PARRAVANO, Attorney at Law, 419 Webster Street, Ste. 100, Monterey, California, on or before March 20, 1997.

(s) Gordon D. Aalto
Transferee
(s) Alma N. Allen
Transferee
Publication date: February 27, 1997
(PC278)

NOTICE OF TRUSTEE'S SALE
D-17869

YOU ARE IN DEFAULT UNDER A DEED OF TRUST DATED JULY 9, 1996. UNLESS YOU TAKE ACTION TO PROTECT YOUR PROPERTY IT WILL BE SOLD AT PUBLIC SALE, IF YOU NEED AN EXPLANATION OF THE NATURE OF THE PROCEEDINGS AGAINST YOU, YOU SHOULD CONTACT A LAWYER.

On March 20, 1997, at the hour of 10:00 a.m. on said day, at the main entrance of the Monterey County Courthouse, Monterey Branch, 1200 Aguajito Road, City of Monterey, County of Monterey, State of California, Donald C. Bowen as present Trustee, will sell at public auction, to the highest bidder, for the consideration described below herein, tendered at the time of sale; the following real property situated on Lobos Street, Carmel, California, more particularly described as certain real property situated in Monterey County, California, namely:

Lot Numbered 12, in Block Numbered 19, as said Lot and Block are shown on that certain map entitled, "Map of Carmel City, Monterey County, Ca., Surveyed by W.C. Little, April 1888 in the office of the County Recorder of the County of Monterey, State of California, in Volume 1 of Maps, "Cities and Towns," at Page 52.

The undersigned trustee disclaims any liability for the incorrectness of address or common desigation of the property to be sold.

Said real property bears assessor's parcel number 010-011-014.

The consideration for the sale of the real property must be payable at the time of sale and must be in cash, a cashier's check drawn by a state or national bank, a check drawn by a state or federal credit union, or a check drawn by a state or federal savings and loan association, savings assocation or savings bank specified by Section 5102 of the Financial Code and authorized to do business in the State of California.

Said sale will be made without covenant or warranty, expressed or implied, regarding title, possession, or encumbrances to satisfy the obligations secured by and pursuant to the power of sale conferred in a certain Deed of Trust executed by Charles A. Kurtz and Janet Raylene Kurtz, as Trustors, recorded July 15, 1996 in Reel 3394, Page 710, Official Records of Monterey County, California.

The total amount of the unpaid balance of the obligation secured by the property to be sold and estimated costs, expenses and advances at the time of the initial publication of this Notice of Trustee's Sale is $50,277.22.

The name, address, and telephone number of the entity conducting the sale are:

Donald C. Bowen
P.O. Box 4335
Carmel, California 93921
Tel. No. (408) 625-5581

The name, address, and telephone number of the present beneficiary(ies) of said Deed of Trust and the holder(s) of the note for which Deed of Trust is security, and at whose request this sale is to be conducted are:

Donald C. Bowen and Judith A. Bowen,
Trustee of the Bowen Family Trust
P.O. Box 4335
Carmel, California 93921
Tel. No. (408) 625-5581.

The subject real property has no street address or other common designation, however, directions as to the location of said real property may be obtained pursuant to written request submitted to the beneficiary(ies) at the above address within ten (10) days from the first publication of this notice.

(s) Donald C. Bowen
Present Trustee under said Deed of Trust
Publication dates: Feb. 27, March 6, 13, 1997.
(PC285)

PUBLIC NOTICE

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Planning Commission of the City of Carmel-by-the-Sea will conduct a public hearing in the City Hall Council Chambers, located on the east side of Monte Verde Street between Ocean and Seventh Avenues, on Wednesday, 12 March 1997. The public hearing will be opened at **4:30 P.M.**, or as soon thereafter as possible.

IF YOU CHALLENGE THE NATURE OF THE PROPOSED ACTION IN COURT, YOU MAY BE LIMITED TO RAISING ONLY THOSE ISSUES YOU OR SOMEONE ELSE RAISED AT THE PUBLIC HEARING DESCRIBED IN THIS NOTICE, OR IN WRITTEN CORRESPONDENCE DELIVERED TO THE PLANNING COMMISSION OR THE CITY COUNCIL AT, OR PRIOR TO THE PUBLIC HEARING.

1. DS 96-56
Margaret Hurley
E/s Camino Real between
12th and 13th
Block AA, Lot 12

Consideration of an application for a second story addition to a single family residence in the R-1 District.

2. DS 96-59/RE 96-33
Cindi Scarlett-Ramsey
W/s Monte Verde between
12th and 13th
Block 134, Lot 9

Consideration of applications for demolition of an existing single-family residence and a design study for a new two-story residence in the R-1 District.

3. UP 97-02
Marian Niculescu
W/San Carlos between Ocean and 7th
Block 76, Lots 9 and 11

Consideration of an application for a use permit to combine the sale and repair of watches with an arts and crafts store in the Central Commercial District.

4. DS 96-58
Bill and Sarah Brown
E/s Dolores between Santa Lucia and 13th
Block 143, Lots 12, 14, and pt. of 10

Consideration of an application for the construction of a new single family residence in the R-1 District.

5. AD 97-02
Altomar Collection
W/s Dolores between Ocean and 7th
Block 75, Lots 1,2,3,9

Business License Revocation hearing.

6. Consideration of an initial study (EA 97-07) of the potential environmental effects resulting from the construction of two portable restrooms on the west side of Scenic Road at the corner of Santa Lucia Avenue.

Dated: February 21, 1997
Publication dates: Feb. 27, 1997.

Planning Commission
(s) Karen Worthington

(PC279)

This weeks legals on pages 6B, 8B in section II and page 12 in section I

FITZPATRICK: That's eye on what?

From page 3

right.

THE "CCN" part of the current call letters has been used by the station as an acronym for "Central Coast News," but does the "ION" in the new designation stand for anything?

Well, sort of. Faylor says it stands for "eye on."

Uh, "eye on" what?

CBS, he explained, uses "Eye on America" as a slogan, so the "ION" could stand for "Eye on" the Central Coast, or whatever.

I see. However, my dictionary says "ion" is "An atom or group of atoms that carries a positive or negative electric charge as a result of having lost or gained one or more electrons."

THAT makes for a pretty long slogan, though. So couldn't ION be an acronym for "Information, Opinion, Noodles"?

Of course, the station would have to open a noodle restaurant at its studios in order to justify the slogan — but it's a slogan that would certainly be remembered, if not revered!

Say it again — "Information, Opinion, Noodles." It kind of grows on you, doesn't it?

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BESIDES the new call letters, Faylor also announced the anchors for KCCN's (KION's) new morning news programs starting March 10, and some juggling of anchors for its continuing 5, 6, and 11 p.m. news shows:

■ 6 to 7 a.m. news — **Barry Brown**, producer-anchor; **Colleen Odegaard**, co-anchor; **Robert Santos**, reporter.

■ 7 to 9 a.m. news (occasional inserts in "CBS This Morning" network show) — Same cast as above.

■ Noon to 12:30 p.m. — Brown, Odegaard, **Ed Bradford**, co-anchors.

■ 5 to 5:30 p.m. — **Caroline Avedisian, Andrew Amador**, news anchors; **Hunter Finnell**, sports.

■ 6 to 7 p.m. — **Karina Rusk,** Bradford, news anchors; Finnell, sports.

■ 11-11:30 p.m. — Avedisian, Amador, Finnell.

Weather anchors will be named later, Faylor said.

THE BIG question raised by this line-up is, what will become of KCBA's news?

Odegaard, Santos and Amador are all being transferred over to KCCN from KCBA, as were Brown and reporters **Heidi Linkenbach** and **Les Batinas** earlier.

THIS leaves KCBA with only weather anchor **Sandhya Patel** and sports anchor **Ken Rothhouse** from its regular on-air crew.

Faylor (who is G.M. of both stations) said they've hired **Alan Marsden**, who has been with a Yuma, Ariz., station for 15 years, to be KCBA's lone NEWS anchor, joining Patel and Rothhouse on the station's ONLY news program daily, 10 to 10:30 p.m. He'll arrive in mid-March.

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WRY sign in the newish Noah's Bagel shop in Carmel Crossroads:

"Protect your bagels ... Put lox on them."

Have a good weekend anyway.

Joe Fitzpatrick's column appears weekly in The Pine Cone.

CMS releases semester honor roll

THE CARMEL MIDDLE School has released its honor roll for the first semester of the 1996-97 school year.

Here are the students who acheived highest honors, high honors and honors in the school's three grades:

■ GRADE 8

Highest Honors
4.0 Grade Point Average

Andrew Dahl
Teddy Gifford
Jessica Hare
Meghan Kirby-McFarland
Bryan Langslet
Melanie Miller
Ryan Olf
Brian Orosco
Katrin Roessler
Ryan Scott
Austen Suchan
Miriam Wolodarski

High Honors
3.99-3.69 GPA

Zahava Abend
Nicole Bertucci
Hannah Coombe
Brent Fogg
Honey-Marie Hamilton
Meghan Healy
Arinbjorn Jonsson
Brian Love
Jordana McVey
Caitlin Morgenrath
Emily Moss
Elizabeth Stoffers
Benjamin Strickland
Dana Ticker
Brenna Tuinenga
Lauren Tyner
Chris Wade
Megan Walter
Christina Valdez

Honors
3.68-3.00 GPA

Jahre Carver
Emily Gaines
Michael Heisinger
Kenny Kleinkopf
Elizabeth Ochs
Brittani Parks
Sara Pinsky
Lindsay Stiegler
Brent Stravers
Emily Keresey
Aviala Fields
Tess Greenberg
Danielle Levy
Emily Merrifield
Nathan Mintz
Brandon Ocampo
Rhett Petit
Erin Quinn
Kevie Remynse
Siobhan Sager
Teofilo Silva Jr.
Thalia Tardivet
Kerry Vasquez
Danielle Walker
Kathryn Burns
Malia Durand
Matthew Hale
M ichael Heligman
Kareem Khalidy
Steve Knovick
Jez Munyer
Dugan O'Neal
Nick Ockert
Evan Parker
Andrew Parsel
Sarah Robinson
Elissa Tarp
Cody Russell
Kathleen McRaney
Chi Birmingham
Bennett Borofka
Renee Brunet
Owen Cook
Christopher Cope
Ashley Cox
Erica Glazzard

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CITY OF CARMEL-BY-THE-SEA

NOTICE OF CHANGE OF MEETING DATE

The initial study of two portable restrooms on the west side of Scenic Road at the corner of Santa Lucia will **NOT BE HEARD** on March 4, 1997. The matter will be heard on:

TUESDAY • APRIL 1, 1997 • 3:30 P.M. • CITY HALL
(East side of Monte Verde between Ocean and 7th Avenues)

WHAT'S NEW with Meg

What's new? Baklava...poofy-backed visors...golf sweaters...blender parts..Holman's Antique Plaza and more...

Varkiza

Interested in things different, delightful, delicious? If so, my latest discovery: an authentic Greek catering service called **VARKIZA.** Leo Maganares, formerly of Athens now a peninsulan, caters for small groups or large parties, delivering his entrees, appetizers, salads, soups, pies, etc. – frozen or ready to bake – to your door. His recipes are vegetarian and heart healthy, though he cooks traditionally when requested. I understand his appetizer trays are to die for; I know his Baklava is and his Moussakas casserole sounds too good to be true. But then it all does. For your next dinner or cocktail party, large or small, discuss it with Leo. Call 642-8651!

Golfers and non-golfers, **TOWN OR TRAVEL** has good news for you. On special sale are many golf-wear separates...classic length skirts, short skirts, v-neck sweaters, sleeveless sweaters and poly-cotton pants either plain or plaids! Also, novelty bags, many in burlap with golf motif at 50% off. In addition, Marge has just received a big shipment of Leon Levin print shirts, in spring-like patterns. For you Bleyle fans, it's not too late – still on sale a few wool skirts, pants and sweaters. These art 30% to 50% off and as you well know, they're classics for cool weather year after year! Therefore, for summer and winter come to the Mall on San Carlos, between 5th & 6th, Carmel. 626-0276.

You must *see* the **STONEHOUSE**, in order to do it justice. Formerly Hall's STONEHOUSE, the owner, Dan Villa, continues to find gifts and home accessories for the discriminating buyer. Artistic and functional pieces include...colorful wall tapestry of garden/ocean scene made in India; dramatic vases; sculptures of animals, bearded wheat, wild geraniums & roses by Dimitrios; framed handmade paper art by Carmel artist, Deanna DeChauron; from Maine, otter, seal and bird sculptures; stunning silk flowers; unique candles; Dichrote art glass; Abelman's limited edition glass clowns, adorable enameled pins & lightswitch plates..come *see*! Corner of 7th/San Carlos. 624-5031.

PACIFIC GROVE VACUUM & SMALL APPLIANCES

You might say **PG VACUUM & SMALL APPLIANCES** is rather hard to live without. Not only does the customer get quality, service and good prices, but the products one buys here are made the way they once were. That includes vacuums, microwaves, blenders, coffee-makers, Miele washers and dryers, sewing machines, irons, electric kettles, can openers, electric shavers, etc. Parts to these appliances are available and appliance repairs are made here. Need knives, scissors, small garden tools sharpened? A lamp repaired? See why it's hard to live without this shop? By the way, Chantel is still in and out, but her brother, Stephan, is the new owner. 246 1/2 Forest, PG. 375-4232.

Haruko's

If you like denim, and I mean good quality denim, you'll find light blue and dark blue jackets and matching pants in that favorite of fabrics at **HARUKO'S FASHIONS.** These handsome outfits become slightly dressy with stone and brad trim on jacket. Along with HARUKO'S rack of sale separates, you'd do well to arrive there as soon as possible because she's closing out her classic, v-neck cardigans (almost like jackets) in banana, purple and avocado lambswool and angora – at $20, if you can imagine! (Not too many left; so hurry!) And check out her black, dressy slipovers with splashes of gold and silver trim! At the Crossroads, next to Caffe & Co. 625-1060.

The Shop in the Garden

Its right around the corner, or would you say spring is *already* here? In either case, this is the time to think **THE SHOP IN THE GARDEN!** This most unusual garden "shop", a Carmel treasure for over 35 years, is filled with handmade copper items, all of them sculpted on the premises. Fountains, windchimes, lanterns, butterflies, frogs flying kites, all kinds of insects and bugs on brass rods for garden humor, large "gazing" balls placed on pedestals to reflect your garden so you enjoy it twice – no telling what Milton Jr and Sr. will come up with next! You're invited to come in and browse, see these artisans at work, and enjoy this unique garden! Corner of Ocean/Lincoln, 624-6047.

Found a marvelous selection of hats at the **VILLAGE STRAW SHOP**, perfect for golf or anytime you don't want sun – visors with poofy backs (including animal print) and brim-style straw hats with colorful ribbon and bow in back. And what a collection of *Vera Bradley* bags and accessories in the newest colors and patterns! Along with the familiar tried & true patterns, here's a sampling – handbags, duffle bags, petite shoulder bags, jewelry pouches, diaper bags (with changing pad inside!), sling bags, picnic bags, garment bags, even a cover for curling iron with heat resistant lining! Vera thinks of everything in such attractive ways! Corner of Ocean/Lincoln, Carmel. 624-2361

Holman Bldg.

I've just taken my first trip into the old **HOLMAN'S** now the new **HOLMAN'S ANTIQUE PLAZA**! What an experience! The first floor seemed like an acre of antiques, and I soon learned they belong to 50 dealers, local and as far away as Boston. There's something for everyone and here goes a *very* partial listing: extensive jewelry (diamonds, gold, silver, jade, etc.); Early American and European antique furniture, some in contemporary design; unlimited collectibles (antique teapots, ceramics, clocks, dolls, etc.); Fine art; rugs, mirrors, lovely Meissen and Tiffany pieces etc. One could go on and on, but I hope you get the picture. The dealers plan to keep merchandise rotating, so each time you'll see different items. ANTIQUE PLAZA plans include expanding; bi-monthly auctions with dealer consigned items open to the public without premium, and no telling what else! **The HOLMAN BUILDING** plans include the opening of a Monterey County Bank branch sometime in late March; open now, THE BODY SUITE, a massage, skin care, hair and nail salon with fantastic panoramic ocean view, and you can count on many more openings. Heard a rumor about a restaurant one day high atop! You know about the pianist who plays daily – music from the 1820's to the 1950's? And have you met Charlie, the Blue Russian cat in resi-

Do you thrive on history? Monterey history? Love the sea? Enjoy worthwhile causes? Have 4 hours per month to spare? Well then, become a Watchstander at the **MARITIME MUSEUM OF MONTEREY!** I can assure you it's fun to stand watch. Watchstander training is ongoing and includes monthly watchstander enrichment programs when certain aspects and exhibits of the museum are featured; many helpful museum videos to check out; and experienced watchstanders available to answer questions. Next enrichment program is March 19, 4 pm. So, why not?! Call Jan at 375-2553 to learn more!

MARITIME MUSEUM OF MONTEREY

Mark your calendar for the Chamber Music Society's next concert – March 11. Hear the Auryo String Quartet, 8pm at Sunset Center, San Carlos/9th, Carmel. Call 625-2212 for more information.

Back March 13, meanwhile,say..."Meg"
To contact MEG (Louise Nachman), please call 646-9616

PAID ADVERTISEMENTS

SHERIFF'S LOG

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deputies found the man sitting at a nearby coffee shop.

Pebble Beach: After a man reported that his wife was missing, she was discovered to have admitted herself to CHOMP.

Carmel Valley: A business owner reported that two "No Parking" signs had been removed from a parking lot located outside her business.

Carmel Valley: A man reported receiving a phone call from a former employee who stated that the man owed him back pay from more than a year ago. The reporting party told the man that he had already been paid.

FRIDAY, FEB. 21

Carmel Valley: A woman reported that she thought someone had bugged her phone line because of frequent disconnections and a "siren" noise heard over the line. A phone company technician was scheduled to inspect the line in two days.

Pebble Beach: A 15-year-old male student reported finding his dormitory window open and his laptop computer missing. No suspects in the case.

Carmel: A church employee reported a violation of a restraining order.

SATURDAY, FEB. 22

Carmel Valley: A 47-year-old woman and her 20-year-old daughter reportedly engaged in a verbal argument which evolved into a physical fight.

Carmel: A woman reported that her neighbor's dog, who supposedly never barks, had been consistently barking. The woman thought that it appeared that her elderly neighbor was not at home or ill.

Carmel Valley: A man reported that he engaged in a verbal argument with his neighbor who was writing down the license plate numbers of vehicles parked in front of their residences.

Carmel: A high school principal reported that he did not want to press charges after finding that two men, 19 and 20, broke into the school's gym to play basketball.

Carmel Valley: A man reported that someone had been trimming the shrubs outside his residence without his permission.

SUNDAY, FEB. 23

Big Sur: A campground manager phoned for assistance after a group of campers refused to pay their $33 campsite fee. The individuals were pulled over as they drove northbound on Highway 1 and agreed to pay the manager at a later date.

Carmel Valley: A man reported that another man threw rocks at his truck, breaking the rear sliding window.

Carmel Valley: A woman reported that her dog's $200 training collar was missing. The collar is outfitted with a white box which emits a hissing noise when the dog barks for too long.

MONDAY, FEB. 24

Carmel Valley: Seven people who were using a swimming hole on private property were told to leave and warned that they were subject to arrest for trespassing.

Carmel: A deputy investigating a civil problem between two men saw that one violated a restraining order by passing close to the other and verbally harassing him.

Pebble Beach: A gardener wrote down the license plate numbers of vehicles belonging to surfers who were trespassing on private property in order to gain access to the beach.

Carmel Valley: A woman reported that another woman left an Arabian horse on her property and has not paid money for hay or rent.

The Monterey County 'Sheriff's Log' is a weekly feature of The Pine Cone.

CMS: Honor students

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Harison Heneks
Matthew Hohler
Tasha Hookailo
Megan Kucher
Trey Luster
Alexander Marr
Zachary Newhouse
Storm Nilson
Brett Pallastrini
Walter Ross
Kristen Barnett
Melissa Downing
Benjamin Edwards
George Fontes
Justin Gooden
Conall Jones
Keith Kitaji
Nicolas Klemek
Patrick Mellinger
Virginia Munoz
Michael Newman
Jonathan Perez
Alfred Seccombe
Isaac Siegel
Gina Sinotte
Paige Viera

■ GRADE 7

Highest Honors
4.0 GPA
Amy Fitzpatrick
Sarah Jamison
Robert Jensen
Hannah Kang
Carl Lostrom
Amy Love
Jenna Mahoney
Adriana Moody
William Niebling
Devin Parks
Alexander Roqers
Morgan Sellers
Andrew Stromberg
James Tolan
Brooke Wells
Jay Yoon

High Honors
3.99-3.69 GPA
Jeremy Borden
Tanya Chapple
Ashlee Eisinger
Anne Louise Marquis
Gaelen Nelson
Alison Noseworthy
John Puccinelli
Annabelle Querfurth
Alex Short
Evan Smith
Veronica Thaanum
Hillary Timm
Natalie Van Allen
Hilary Wallington
Aaron Wolovsky
Kristin Wood
Kathleen Ferguson
Austin Stockwell
Todd Myer

Honors
3.68-3.00 GPA
Beau Baer
Eric Borden
Sequoia Chappelet-Volpini
Erin Cirimele
Emily Cohan
Sabrina Hare
Megan Heinrich
Jennifer Higuera
Cameran King
Justine Movson
Stephanie Mullen
Lawen Olds
Kyra Smith
Nicole Thomas
Casey Warsken
Elizabeth Hamilton
Jenna Kilzer
Sara Peccianti
Joseph Aguilar
Marc Chaney
Lea Garnero
Jesska Hennessy
Brittany Holt
Chelsea Macdonald
Celia Macias
Elise Munsey
Max Rieser
Genevieve Trout
Kristin Uyehara
Cinnamon Westbrook
Michael Saxton
Stephanie Wilcox
Benjamin Cardenas
Gerick Catugda
Nicole Chandler
Ryan Dawson
Jessica Eastman
Stacey Fisher
Brett George
Audie Jenkins
Evan Johnson
Katie Ryan
Sabrina Siino
David Steinberg
Samuel Strong
Zeana Bey
Lauren Porter
Colleen Ryan
Lindsay Estes
Deanna Faulkner
Melina Franks
Jennifer Frederick
Reed Heneks
Sara Ivey
Robby Lamvik
Leonardo Martinez
Amanda May
Kephera Moon
Joey Piccinini
Brittani Reid
Gabriella Zito
Leah Armstrong
Norah Childs
Ginger Craft
Justin Etienne
Ryo Furuki
Stephanie Hsrshey
Alexis Ingram
Viet Le
Nicole Levy
Tory McLeod
Mariana Nunez
Blake Pascoe
Jeremy Philips
Jesse Saunders
Sarah Sayad
Gavin Sonne
Ana Tirado
Joselyn Viera
Alicia Zanetta

■ GRADE 6

Highest Honors
4.0 GPA
Logan Aiello
Athena Arnot-Copenhaver
Zoe Beck
Rosemary Brabeck
Jennifer Bunzel
Carly Costanza
Carly Dahl
Kirk Danielson
Aron Forbes
Covie Gonzales
Heather Higgins
Ashley Hightower
Kristin Hocevar
Celeste Holz

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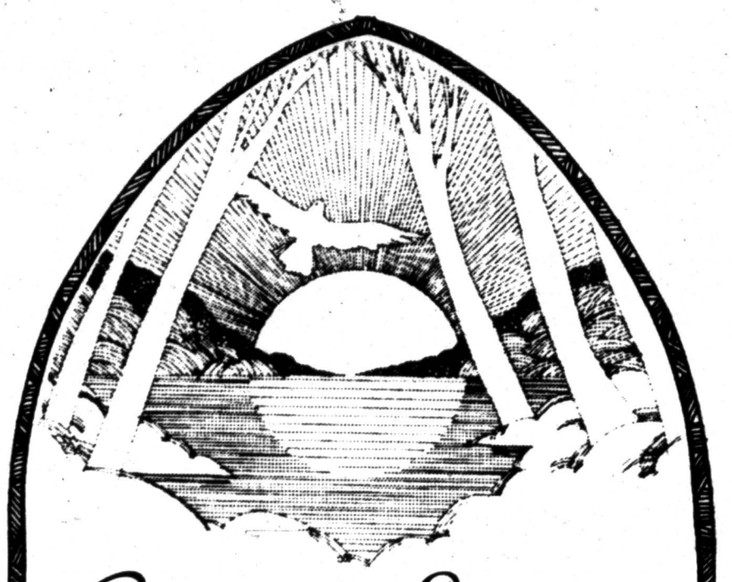

Church Services

The Church of the Wayfarer
(A United Methodist Church)
Worship Sundays at 10 am at this historic United Methodist church. Adult & youth classes 8:45 am. Sunday School 10 am (Nursery care provided.) Youth Fellowship 5:30 pm children's choir and weekly pre-school programs available.
624-3550

Christian Science Services
Sundays 10 am, Sunday School 10 am. Wednesday evening testimony meetings 8 pm. Reading room open weekdays 9-5 (Wed. 9-7:30) Sun. & holidays 1:30-4:30.
Monte Verde St. North of Ocean Ave. btwn. 5th & 6th

All Saints' Episcopal Church
Sunday Eucharists at 8 and 10 am and 5:30 pm. Eucharist on Wednesdays at 7 am and Thursdays at noon. Sunday nursery care at 10 am service.
Dolores St. & 9th Ave.
624-3883

Carmel Mission Basilica
Sat. Mass: 5:30 pm fulfills Sunday obligation. Sun: Masses: 7:00, 8:00, 9:30 & 11:00 am and 12:30 & 5:30 pm. Confessions: Sat. 3:30 to 5:30: days before First Friday and Holy Days 4:00 to 5:00. Mass at Big Sur: Sundays at 10:30 am.
Rio Road, Carmel

Carmel Church of Religious Science
Services held 11am Sundays.
Wednesday Meditation 7:30 pm
World Peace Meditation 4th Friday, 7:30 pm
Dolores St. & 8th Ave. American Legion Post
625-5360

Carmel Presbyterian Church
2 Worship Celebrations 8:30 AM & 10 AM
Services are broadcast on KRML 1410 at 10 AM. Child care provided for all services.
Junipero near Ocean
624-3878

Carmel Christian Fellowship
(First Assembly of God)
Sunday Services: 10:30 am
Thurs. Night Bible Study
"Come as you are - you will be loved!"
Torres & 4th Streets Carmel Youth Center
624-9302

First Baptist Church of Carmel Valley
Sunday Services: 8:30 & 11am
Sunday School: All Ages 9:45 am
Nursery: Available through age 3
8340 Carmel Valley Rd.
624-5551

Shoreline Community Church
Sunday Services: 9 and 10:30 am
Pacific Grove High School
615 Sunset Drive
Pacific Grove
655-0100

The Religious Society of Friends (Quakers)
Silent meeting Sunday 10 am
The Cherry Foundation
Guadalupe & 4th
Carmel
644-0331

The Golden Years

By Myles Williams

Two musicians may play a duet at separate pianos. It's quite different when two perform together at the same piano bench.Kenneth and Jean Wentworth have been doing this since they wed 47 years ago. they met as Juilliard School students and soon were concertizing side by side on one piano bench. "You have to get along in order to play four hands," Mrs. Wentworth told an interviewer. She plays the higher notes and he plays the other ones, but there are times when they cross over. An asterisk on music sheets reminds one to get out of the way of the other.

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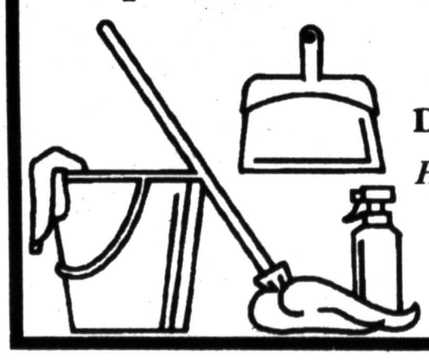

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CHOMP slates series of programs

THE FOLLOWING programs will be offered by Community Hospital of the Monterey Peninsula in the coming weeks:

■ **Wednesday:** A free diabetes support group will meet from 7 to 8 p.m. in the main conference room at CHOMP. More information: 625-4644.

■ **Thursday, March 6:** The American Diabetes Association's latest strategies on managing diabetes will be discussed in "An Ounce of Prevention," a four-part program beginning at 4:30 p.m. in the education department at CHOMP. The fee is $25 per class; a friend or family member may be brought without additional charge. Information: 625-4708.

■ **March 6, 13, 20 and 27:** A "heart-smart" nutrition class will be offered from 9 to 10:30 a.m. for four consecutive Thursdays beginning next week. Registered dietitians and nurses specializing in heart health will discuss how blood cholesterol and triglyceride levels affect dietary needs. Class includes a supermarket tour and a discussion of the latest diet controversies.

The cost is $40; a friend or family member may be brought with no additional charge.

More information: 625-4947. Registration: 625-4708.

■ **March 11 and 18:** American Red Cross Standard First Aid will be taught at a two-part class being offered by Community Hospital from 6 to 10 p.m. on consecutive Tuesdays beginning March 11. Preregistration for the $35 class is required.

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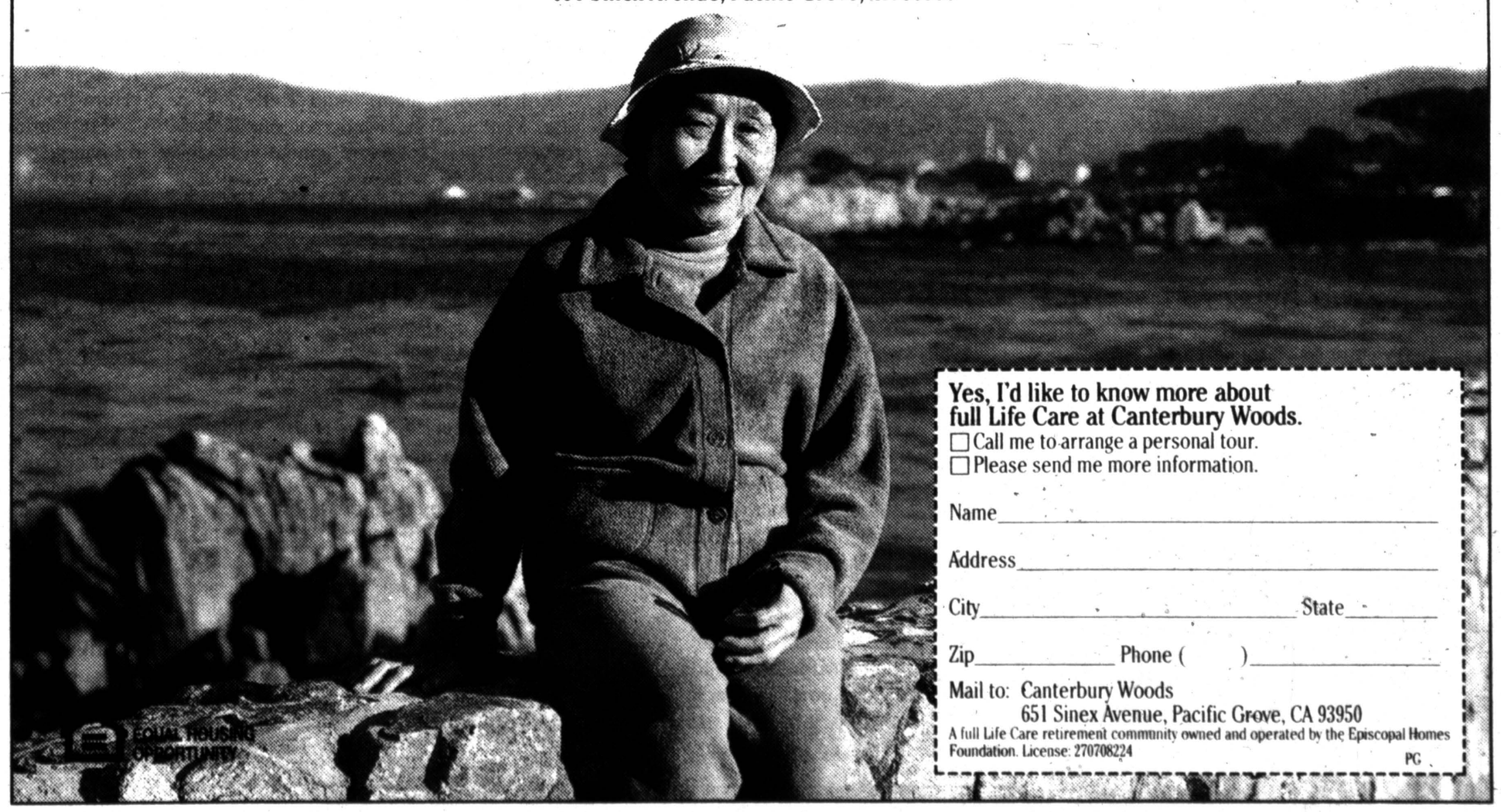
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PREP ROUNDUP

RLS girls face off with SF Mercy in CCS play Saturday

ROBERT LOUIS Stevenson's boys and girls basketball teams will both compete in the Central Coast Section playoffs this week.

The Stevenson girls, 13-3 in the Mission Trail Athletic League, are Monterey County's highest-seeded team in this year's playoffs.

Ranked third in Division IV, coach Shawn Evans' crew will match up with sixth-ranked Mercy High of San Francisco Saturday at Cabrillo College in Santa Cruz. Game time is 5 p.m.

Stevenson's boys squad, 10-4 in the Mission Trail Athletic League, is ranked fifth in Division IV. It faced off with fourth-ranked Valley Christian Wednesday night after Pine Cone press deadline.

— By Scott A. Brown

CHS boys hoopsters end 'tough' season

"IT WAS tough," was how Carmel High School varsity boys basketball coach Mike Woodie summed up the Padres' 1996-97 season.

Carmel finished 6-17 overall, and was only 2-12 in the Mission Trail Athletic League with wins over Gonzales and King City.

"The team learned a lot, though, and I learned a lot," said Woodie, who completed his first year at the helm of the varsity.

Carmel was, in fact, able to give its fans a show throughout most of the season, coming up a few points short in numerous games.

Woodie maintained there is reason to be optimistic about the future of CHS basketball.

"We have one of the best freshmen classes in the league," he said. "I'm very optimistic that we can go out and change this program around. There's no doubt in my mind."

Senior guard Nick Cardinale received all-MTAL honors, while senior forward Ben Cook received honorable mention. The Cardinale-Cook duo combined to average 28 points per game this season.

Senior Joe Silverie was named to the all-MTAL defensive squad, while junior Trevor Fogg earned a spot on the league's all-sportsmanship team, the first year such an award has been given.

— By Patrick Foudy

New Cal coach Holmoe to address scholar-athlete banquet March 13

Carmel High's Jacob Saxton, Matt Wall to be honored by foundation

By SCOTT A. BROWN

NEWLY APPOINTED Cal head football coach Tom Holmoe will be the keynote speaker Thursday, March 13 when local scholar athletes are honored by the Monterey County Chapter of the National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame.

"I'm thrilled to be a participant in this year's program," Holmoe told The Pine Cone, "just as I was in 1986 (when as a defensive back for the San Francisco 49ers he was the speaker at the organization's first membership luncheon).

"The values that the National Football Foundation emphasize — academics, community involvement, dedication to athletics — are all ones that I want to be affiliated with. These young men are cut from the cloth that I would like to have at Cal."

Among the 23 scholar-athletes to be honored by the NFF/HF at the banquet, which begins at 6:30 p.m. at the Hyatt Regency Monterey, are Carmel High School senior football players Jacob Saxton and Matthew Wall.

PHOTOS/SCOTT A. BROWN

Two Carmel High School senior football players — Jacob Saxton (left) and Matt Wall — are this year's recipients of scholarships from the National Football Foundation and College Hall of Fame, Monterey County Chapter. The duo will be honored at the organization's annual banquet March 13 at the Hyatt Regency Monterey.

Jacob Saxton

Saxton, an all-Mission Trail Athletic League wide receiver and defensive back for the Padres, was among 13 honorees from Monterey and San Benito counties to be recognized for their achievement on and off the football field with a $1,500 scholarship.

The son of Dan and Debbie Saxton of Carmel Valley, Jacob carries a 3.20 grade point average at Carmel High. He also plays saxophone in the school's band.

"I am very glad to say I received this prestigious award," said Saxton. "It will supply much needed aid for my college endeavors."

"Jacob has been a pleasure to get to know," said Mike Kelly, who recently resigned from his post as head football coach at Carmel High. "I've been his head coach since he was a freshman and he has grown tremendously since then. He is intelligent, respectful and quite gifted athletically."

Saxton led the Padres in receptions and interceptions this past season. He scored seven touchdowns, six of which were via completions of more than 40 yards.

Saxton hopes to attend Whittier College or University of Redlands. He is interested in studying biology or creative writing.

Matthew Wall

Wall, who received honorable mention all-MTAL honors as an offensive guard and defensive end, is among the NFF/HF's 10 "Runner-Up" scholar-athletes who will receive $500 scholarships.

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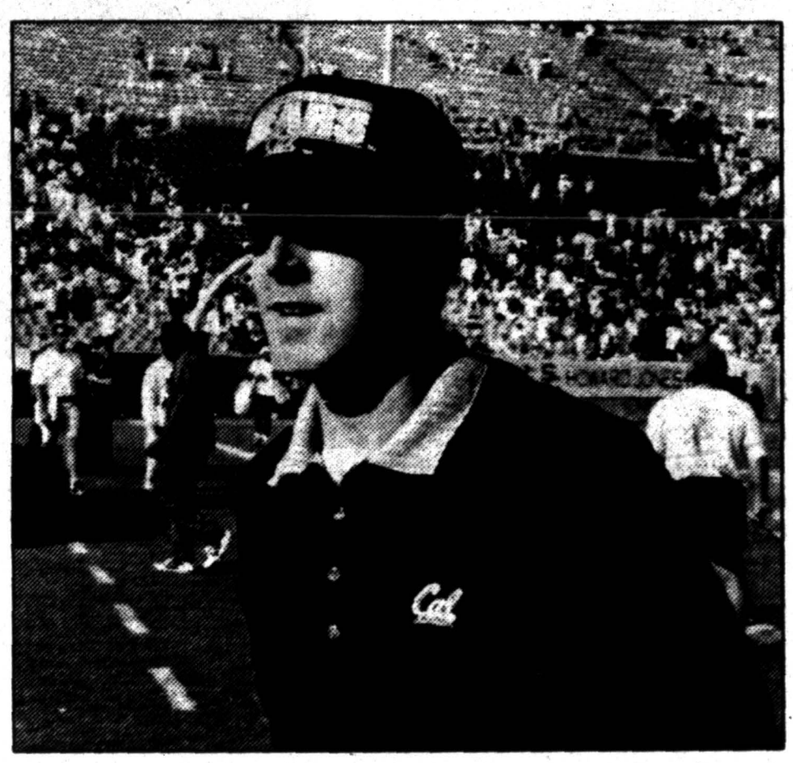
> **– TOM HOLMOE, CAL HEAD COACH**



The son of Carmel's Kent and Marcia Wall, Matt carries a 3.30 grade point average at Carmel High. He was named "Student of the Month" at Carmel High earlier this academic year.

"I really appreciate this award because it makes me feel rewarded for my efforts in sports and scholastics," said Wall.

"Matt is a quality young man who brought leadership and class to our high school football team," said Kelly. "This year, Matt was the winner of our Kelsey Award, which is given annually to the player who best displays leadership and scholarship among the varsity players."

Wall hopes to study physical therapy at either Long Beach State or Cal Poly-San Luis Obispo. He also may attend University of Oregon or University of Washington.

Stevenson duo honored

Robert Louis Stevenson's Julio Carta and Tommy Hattori also will be recognized this year by the NFF/HF. They will be featured in next week's Pine Cone after they return from winter break.

For more information about the March 13 banquet, or to make reservations, interested individuals should call Butch Semas at 372-4929.

Sea Otter Sports Classic on tap for March 21-23 at Laguna Seca Rec Area

THE 1997 SEA Otter Classic Sports Festival will take place March 21-23 at the Laguna Seca Recreation Area in Monterey.

This year's event will include more than 4,500 athletes competing in more than a dozen events ranging from mountain biking to elite in-line skating.

In addition, there will be a 10-mile Fun Ride for bikers of all ages and abilities.

The scenic race loop extends through the roads and trails of the Fort Ord public lands and offers spectacular views of the green hills and countryside.

For more information, call 415/306-1414 or visit the Sea Otter Classic Website at *www.seaotter.org*.

Padres' field hockey team loses tight battle

THE CARMEL High School girls field hockey team ended its season with a stellar effort against North Salinas.

Though the contest ended in a 2-1 loss for the Padres, they did manage to put forward a valiant effort against the Mission Trail Athletic League champions.

Allison Kistenmacher scored the lone goal for Carmel. Kistenmacher also came within inches of scoring what would have been the tying goal in the game's final minutes.

The second North Salinas goal came on a questionable non-call over an illegal offensive move used by their striker. The decision did not go in the Padres' favor, and North Salinas held on with tough defense to stymie Carmel's last chance for a victory or a tie this season.

Though they finished their winless MTAL season in last place, the Padres were competitive all year long, never losing a game by more than three goals.

"We had a lot of very close games that could have gone either way," said Kistenmacher. "We just didn't score enough goals."

Whitney Fisher was named all-MTAL, while Kistenmacher and Alison Downing received honorable mention honors for Carmel.

— By Trevor Fogg

Cypress Gymnastics sets big spring invitational at CSUMB next Saturday

CYPRESS GYMNASTICS Booster Club, Inc., is sponsoring a Spring Invitational Meet on Saturday, March 8 at Cal State University, Monterey Bay.

The event, the first of its kind on the Monterey Peninsula, will draw to the area more than 100 compulsory gymnasts and their families.

Cypress Gymnastics Center is a non-profit organization whose purpose is to encourage and aid young athletes who dedicate themselves to the sport of gymnastics.

More information: Tammy Long, 455-2049.

PANETTA: Clinton reelection bid buoyed by Chief of Staff's discipline

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ond term possible.

Still, certain opinions are quickly being formed as Panetta has found his own place in history.

"Often, a president is surrounded by 'yes people,' but Panetta wasn't afraid to speak up to Bill Clinton," said Stephen Garrett, professor of international policy at the Monterey Institute of International Studies.

PHOTO/PAUL WOLF

For now, Leon Panetta, widely rumored to be a candidate for California governor, will embark on a speaking tour.

Panetta, who represented the Monterey Bay region in Congress from 1976 to 1993, was clearly a factor — whether a direct or indirect one — in the Comeback Kid's most recent feat. How much of a factor is the question.

"You can't deal with Clinton's successful reelection without dealing with Leon Panetta," stated Carl Pohlhammer, a political science instructor at Monterey Peninsula College.

Clearly, other individuals were important players. In Bob Woodward's pre-election day volume, *The Choice*, the journalist describes an uneasy truce that existed between Panetta and Clinton's chief strategist and ideas man, political advisor Dick Morris, who is cited as being the architect of the president's rush to the political center.

Woodward describes Panetta as not particularly enamored of Morris, who brought both "good ideas" and "bad ideas" to the president's attention. Panetta, the author says, was in charge of limiting access to the president — something done poorly in the first 18 months of the administration — but Panetta could not keep the president and Morris apart and gave up on that struggle.

Much of Panetta's role, according to Pohlhammer and Garrett, was operational and routine in nature, rather than strategic. Panetta is credited with:

■ Exerting discipline on the president's schedule and serving as his "gatekeeper."

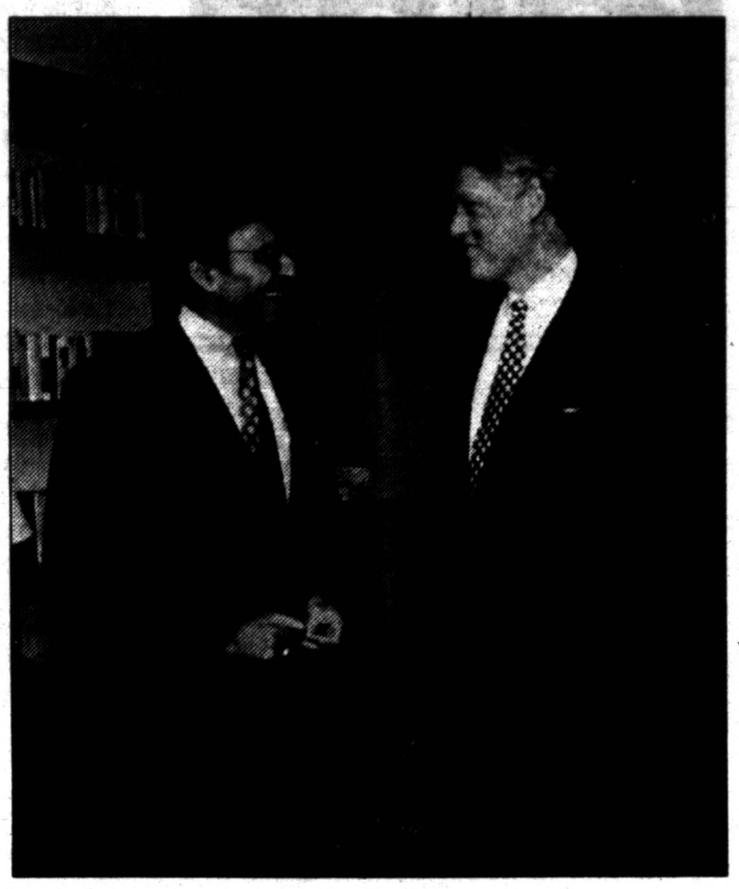
These are supposed to be the traditional functions of any chief of staff.

■ Creating better relations with the House and Senate, which the former Arkansas governor faced as a total stranger.

Rep. Sam Farr, D-Carmel, a friend of Panetta's, informs The Pine Cone that the chief of staff's influence on the relationship between the executive and legislative branches was almost palpable from day one.

■ Maintaining focus in the president's message, which tended to get diffused by his varied interests and ideas.

"The White House, before Panetta came along, was something like a college fraternity, pretty chaotic with a lot of gab sessions," Garrett said. "It is the conventional wisdom now that Panetta was able to come in and restore order. Leon came, saw what was going on and he wasn't amused."



Though a president is often surrounded by 'yes people,' Leon Panetta wasn't afraid to speak up to Bill Clinton, says a Monterey Institute of International Studies professor.

Less influence

Garrett and Pohlhammer agree that Panetta's influence on campaign strategies of the last campaign was probably quite limited.

"He probably was asked his advice about strategy, but he wasn't directly involved in the reelection campaign," Garrett said.

Despite his recent achievements, Panetta made some revealing comments about the Washington environment, saying Washington has "too many consultants and pollsters." Money is too much of a factor in all elections, he said.

If Panetta opposed some of Clinton's new, Morris-backed initiatives, such as overhauling the welfare system, he didn't let on.

"As a congressman, Leon was a fiscal conservative and a social liberal," Pohlhammer said, noting that a chief of staff is an advisor but still must take orders.

Panetta made it clear that he stepped down as chief of staff for personal reasons — to be with his wife Sylvia, his work on his 12-acre walnut orchard in Carmel Valley and to remember his "humanity."

He said no decisions have been made about whether he'd run for governor in 1998. For now, he will engage in a speaking tour.

Subtle legacy

The legacy of Panetta may prove to have been a subtle one, not easily understood by the average American.

According to Farr who opposed the welfare reform legislation of 1996, Panetta guided Clinton, a Washington outsider, on the workings of Congress.

"Leon got him on the inside because he knew the senators and the representatives and could call their bluffs, especially on the budget deals," Farr told The Pine Cone.

The congressman suggested that the true turning point for Clinton was at the end of 1995, when the Republicans forced a two-week shutdown of the government and GOP legislators were tagged with the blame.

In his book, Woodward notes that the "hallmark" of Clinton's governance in 1996 was "self-discipline in his remarks, ideas and behavior." Clearly, Panetta sought to further the trait of self-discipline.

Commented Farr to The Pine Cone: "History will show that Leon's influence was a great deal to do with Clinton's reelection.

Pohlhammer would not suggest that Panetta was directly responsible for Clinton's return to the White House. Rather, insofar as the president improved his standing as a leader and a worthy candidate, Panetta's help proved invaluable.

Speaking to the media, Panetta himself did not appear eager to seize any credit for Clinton's fresh term, saying Clinton prevailed "on his own strengths."

'Beyond Barbed Wire' documentary to premiere Wednesday in Carmel

ACTOR Noriyuko "Pat" Morita will attend the benefit premiere screening of the documentary, "Beyond Barbed Wire."

Pat Morita

Morita, star of "The Karate Kid" films, narrates this documentary, produced by local filmmakers Steve Rosen and Terri DeBono of Mac and Ava Motion Pictures.

"Beyond Barbed Wire" tells of the segregated World War II military unit made up of Americans of Japanese descent who fought for the United States, earning close to 10,000 Purple Hearts.

The screening will begin at 6 p.m. Wednesday at the Crossroads Cinema, Carmel. Tickets, $25, are available in Monterey at Bay Books and Sunrise Grocery. Details: 646-0910.

WOODENICKEL

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plans for the new building, and when we saw that it was going to be Victorian, we knew it was perfect."

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Sunset editorial hits mark

Dear Editor:

I was pleased to read The Pine Cone's editorial (Opinion, Feb. 20) on the Sunset Center renovation. Your comments are right on!

This community finally is coming together on a goal which, when accomplished, will have a beneficial impact on Carmel for years to come.

This project has been under discussion for a long time through many, many meetings. Congratulations should go to the commissions, the Carmel City Council and the city staff for taking positive action to move it along.

Working together, we have a chance to build a wonderful facility that will enrich the lives of us all. The most important thing now is for all of us to pitch in and work together to make this happen.

Rhonda Williams, *Carmel*

The protection slate

Dear Editor:

Recent letters and articles in the Opinion section of The Pine Cone have indicated dissatisfaction with the Carmel Valley Property Owners Association.

Indeed, presently dominated by special interests, this organization opposed the majority of Carmel Valley property owners on some vital issues decided by referendum or elections in 1996.

But now, during the current election of a new board of directors, members concerned about the erosion of the quality of life in the valley have an opportunity to turn the CVPOA around by voting for the Carmel Valley Protection Slate.

I am on this slate. Our aim is to have the CVPOA once again comply with its laudable bylaws and to have it once again speak for rank-and-file property owners.

William Gluck, *Carmel Valley*

Neighbors helping neighbors

Dear Editor:

I want to thank the kind and anonymous person who picked up my lost check somewhere downtown.

Imagine my surprise when I found it, sans envelope or stamp, returned to me via my post office box. My appreciation to everyone concerned.

Marjorie Timmins, *Carmel*

Columnist sees the light

Dear Editor:

The Pine Cone's Jan. 16 issue carried a wonderful commentary by Lotte Mendelsohn. The writer correctly identifies the new marketing effort to make cigars seem chic, elite, epicurean, sexy, etc.

When you imagine lighting up a roll of dead brown leaves and putting the stinking wad in one's mouth, you would think it would be a hard sell.

The writer also pointed out the truth — that serious health risks result from smoking any tobacco product, and it is self-deception to imagine that cigars are not harmful or less harmful than other tobacco products.

Read the history of tobacco marketing, think beyond the glossy hype and don't get on this bandwagon, because even a short ride may be addictive and have lethal results.

Thank you to Ms. Mendelsohn for writing such an accurate and insightful article, and thank you to The Pine Cone for publishing the truth.

Lynn Riddle, *Chairperson*
Tobacco Free Monterey Co. Coalition

Measure A's 'big fix'

Dear Editor:

Proponents of Measure A have mailed a flyer to voters claiming that it "fix(es) our Water District." There is more truth in their claim than what they realize.

Measure A will definitely put the Monterey Peninsula Water Management District and our water supply in a FIX! This snake oil remedy will prevent the MPWMD from granting permits to our hospitals for needed expansion, or to build a fire station, if needed, or for a police substation in a high crime area or a necessary emergency medical clinic or any other emergency facility.

If Measure A passes we will live with permanent rationing as a way of life, while our gardens and forests die and the Carmel River continues to erode and threaten those in flood prone areas.

If you think this is an exaggeration, please read this extreme measure and ask whether you can explain what is meant by a "guaranteed reliable water supply." This is what is necessary before the water district board can issue a permit to an emergency facility such as a hospital or a fire station.

This measure "hog ties" the district so that it cannot do anything about our water supply or water storage problems.

If you want to be "fixed," meaning keeping a bucket in your shower to collect water for flushing your toilets and having your garden die, this is what will happen if you swallow this poisonous fix. We all will be in this "fix" if Measure A passes!

We can work together to solve our water problems without permitting growth. If we adopt this drastic measure, we will wreck our environment.

Vote no on Measure A, and then let's work together to solve our water problems and establish growth controls.

Charles Page, *Carmel*

An inspiring performance

Dear Editor:

What a wonderful concert the Rackham String Quartet gave at Santa Catalina School on Feb. 14!

The full auditorium enjoyed its performance of the Debussy Quartet. Augmented by Paul Katz, cellist of the Cleveland String Quartet for many years, the outstanding, well-balanced rendition of the Schubert String Quintet in C Major resulted in a standing ovation from the audience.

Now in its third year as Monterey County's resident quartet under a grant for a chamber music rural residency from the National Endowment for the Arts, the Rackham String Quartet is bringing music education and joy to local children.

It has come a long way in its development and maturity since winning the Monterey Chamber Music Society's Carmel Chamber Music Competition in 1992. The Rackham is truly the equal of many fine professional string quartets.

Those who missed this concert should certainly look for the next performance.

Mildred and Mel Kline, *Carmel*

Frightening traffic pattern

Dear Editor:

This letter is a request for help in relieving what has become a frightening traffic pattern on our little street of Vizcaino Avenue.

Because vehicles park on both sides of the street, there are often times when emergency ambulances or fire engines could not get through. We would very much appreciate having the city's zoning committee tour the congested "U" streets of Vizcaino Avenue, Flanders Way and Crespi Avenue.

We think the members will want to post signs for "Parking Only on the Right (or Left) Side of Street."

We hope this can be done before a life is needlessly lost.

Betty Hoag McGlynn, *Carmel*

Just like back home — in L.A.

Dear Editor:

Don't you feel sorry for Mr. Dave Fairbank, general manager of Carmel Rancho Shopping Center?

Mr. Fairbank, the individual having to carry out the public relations spin campaign for the "urban logging" of the community's sycamores which formerly lined Rancho Boulevard. Mr. Fairbank, recipient of all the curses, obscene gestures, phone calls and disgusted facial expressions.

But what does he expect from such an out-of-character development? Salmon pink! People have been laughing about that choice of color for years.

And the new office building, grossly out of scale with its original counterparts. And all the charming new asphalt and concrete! And the decorative new stop light. Just like back home . . . in downtown Los Angeles!

Eight years ago, the Advisory Committee turned down a similarly inappropriate project. The vote: 7-0 (I remember, I chaired that committee!)

The Monterey County Planning Commission concurred. The developers went away, only to return with an even more outrageous "improvement." I

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What Measure A does, doesn't do

Dear Editor.

Some recent letters to the editor regarding Measure A infer that Measure A will drastically change the function of the Monterey Peninsula Water Management District or disband the agency.

This letter is written to clarify the fact that Measure A does not change any of the district's powers and responsibilities, as these can be changed only by an act of the state legislature.

Whether Measure A passes or fails, the district will continue to:

- Pursue non-dam water supply solutions, primarily in the Seaside Basin;
- Continue its water conservation program, including the current toilet retrofit-rebate program;
- Conduct the environmental review of Cal-Am's proposed Carmel River Dam Project in compliance with state law; and
- Continue efforts (such as fish rescues) to preserve and protect the Carmel River environment.

The main immediate effect of Measure A, if approved by voters, is that no new water allocations would be allowed for any purpose until the three criteria to end the "water shortage" declared by Measure A have been met.

Darby Fuerst, General Manager
Monterey Pen. Water Mgmt District

(Editor's Note: The letter writer adds that interested members of the public are welcome to call the MPWMD at 649-4866 for more information.)

Thanks to Carmel Police for enforcing city's traffic laws

Dear Editor:

Now, let's see if I have this straight: These traffic law violators are complaining because the Carmel police officers are doing the job we taxpayers are paying them to do. Not only that, but they are ticketing innocent people! What?

I want to thank the Carmel Police Department for its effort in enforcing the traffic laws in Carmel.

I have lived here for more than 30 years. I walk to the post office, bank or library almost every day. I also walk three miles, four or five times a week, around the village. There is never a day that I do not see many drivers go right through stop signs, make rolling stops and speed through the streets as if they are driving in Los Angeles.

T.M. Martin, *Carmel*

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LETTERS

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watched as Mr. Fairbank's neighbors fought gallantly against his employer's need to "improve" the neighborhood. The neighbors were attorneys, but even they could not stop the "improvements."

But, it was the dirty little secret of the trees which outraged me, and others — many, many others. I wonder how many people knew this secret (that destroying the trees was part of the plan)? How many knew, for how long ... that part of our community's heritage was going to be stolen?

Just one phone call to The Pine Cone ... just one mention to the Carmel Forest and Beach Commission. I know the citizens would have come forth, outraged. Weren't those trees on county property, at least county right-of-way, not two feet from the curb?

In an area best described as a hodge-podge of architectural styles, heights, masses, colors, streets, complexes and landscapes, and dozens of parking lots, the one single unifying theme is the sycamores that line the streets throughout the mouth of the valley.

Someone, some 35 years ago, had the vision to try to save a modicum of rural ambiance by planting native trees whose majesty is surpassed only by the valley oaks. They survived 100-year droughts — no water, no problem! I've never seen a diseased sycamore. They are one of the longest-living trees in the valley!

It is often said that the character of a community can be judged by the trees it plants. Soon, Mr. Fairbank and his bosses will have a chance to reveal their characters, through the selection of trees they will use to replace the two dozen majestic sycamores they destroyed.

Jason Wachs, *Carmel Valley*

Good and the bad

Dear Editor:

Had to chuckle at the thought that a big dam and reservoir on the little Carmel River will "restore" it or "bring it back to an original condition" or make it "as is new again."

True restoration would eliminate the two old reservoirs, and stop all pumping by the private well owners and Cal-Am in all of Carmel Valley. Not viable.

A new big dam, twice the height of the 12-story Embassy Suites Hotel, would create nutrient-devoid, warm-water flows and force fish on a truck ride of their lives. Not good.

A new big dam will inundate thousands of acres of natural lands and destroy irreplaceable Native American heritage in an attempt to create a babbling brook that passes artificial golf courses and non-native urban backyards. A reasonable mind twists at this trade-off.

A big dam is for big urban growth. This is not about supplying water to a handful of existing legal lots of record. The proposed 72,000-person city at Fort Ord will need 18,000 acre-feet of water. The dam could free up as much as 5,000 acre-feet from the Seaside basin for Fort Ord growth.

L.A. developers will exercise their "property rights" and demand water to build the reuse plan.

Would Measure A foes please stand up and be counted?

Dear Editor:

Confused on Measure A? Confusion is great for developers.

When people are confused — they vote no. But a "yes" vote will protect our community, our rationing water and our river.

Who do you trust? Public protection organizations or developers?

Supporting Measure A is the League of Women Voters, new 5th District Supervisor Dave Potter (who defeated Jeff Davi in November) and The Carmel and Pacific Grove Residents Associations.

Opposed to Measure A are the usual suspects who always support growth, more growth and even more growth: The Monterey Peninsula Chamber of Commerce, the Commercial Property Owners and representatives of the real estate and hotel industries.

I can't tell you who else ... because they're hiding.

Coast Weekly reported last week on the coordinator of the opponents, Bob McKenzie, acknowledging there are "contributors interested in keeping their campaign contribution anonymous, 'principally so they don't hurt us.' " McKenzie also reneged on his promise to reveal his supporters at a recent debate.

So it is clear: Measure A opponents are running a stealth campaign.

Who do you think these hidden opponents are? It doesn't take the proverbial rocket scientist to guess: development interests.

Please join me in voting yes on Measure A. This could be the most important vote we ever get on the Peninsula.

David Dilworth, *Carmel*

Last point. The City of Carmel is blessed with elected and appointed officials that care about their city and the Monterey Bay area. Council member Barbara Livingston is one of these. She works hard, gathers information from various sources and takes action to protect our area. This is good.

Debra Mickelson, *Carmel*

Give bank robber the combo

Dear Editor:

It's hard to say whether Cal-Am's arrogance is greater than its greed, but I'm betting on the latter. Anyone who believes that the state's decision (on overpumping of the Carmel River Aquifer) is reason enough to validate the re-hash of the New Los Padres Dam (NLPD) needs to back up a notch or two.

For more than 16 years, it was Cal-Am and the MPWMD who deliberately and illegally overpumped the aquifer, forcing the state's decision. They did this while blessing massive development on one hand, and crying "possible rationing" on the other.

Now, after backing us all into this corner, these overpaid, do-nothing water czars expect to be rewarded with their own self-serving project as the only solution to our water shortage. You may as well give a bank robber the combination to the safe!

Yes, we need a dependable water solution, but the NLPD, at six and one-half years and $97 million cash (actually $225 million and counting...) is not it.

Pouring concrete continuously for more than two years to create a dam twice as high as that new hotel in Seaside, literally half the size of the Hoover Dam, on a creek that doesn't even run all year, 1,600 feet from an earthquake fault rated more dangerous than Kobe, Japan; requiring a 24-hour convoy of semitrucks from Watsonville, down Highway 1, up Carmel Valley Road to Cachagua and then back again, non-stop for three and one-half years on our already overcrowded roads, ruining our communities, our river, and the upper valley forever is not the best answer.

New desalination technologies are proven, provide and work beautifully, and could be online in one year at one-quarter of the cost, with no construction impact or environmental damage.

Without a third new dam on the Carmel River (the other two haven't worked for 100 years, as promised!), the public can realize we don't need a do-nothing water board. We don't need a self-serving water company/monopoly.

There are other water sources and water companies that can give the Peninsula the water independence it deserves.

Throw these bums out!

Warren John Wolfe, *Cachagua*

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State education superintendent places emphasis on literacy

By JERRY STEWART

LITERACY, DIVERSITY and democracy are key elements of modern education, asserted Delaine Eastin, state superintendent of public instruction.

"If we are to teach kids, first they must be able to read," said Eastin. "The great documents of our nation are words we live by."

Eastin addressed nearly 1,000 educators last Friday as part of the History-Social Science Framework Conference at the Asilomar Conference Center in Pacific Grove.

The event attracted teachers and county education board members from throughout the state.

Becoming the first female superintendent when elected in 1994, Eastin said schools in California and the rest of the nation must teach the values of the United States.

"The U.S. is the most diverse country in the world, and there should be a respect for that diversity from those who live here," said Eastin.

Eastin called her vision a "new patriotism of teaching."

"I love reminding kids that Thomas Jefferson, John Adams and Thomas Paine were only in their 20s when they did the things they did," said Eastin.

The former California Assemblywoman said that in today's high-tech world, mediums other than just the printed word should be incorporated into education.

"We need to stress other ways of learning, such as utilizing the visual aspects of art," she noted.

Otherwise, Eastin fears that the level of academic achievement in the U.S. will continue to decline.

"An extremely high proportion of middle and high school students don't take school seriously. They pursue interests outside of the classroom," Eastin said. "The kids need to love and have an appreciation of what they're learning."

Eastin noted that U.S. kids average only four hours of homework per week, far below the international average.

"Today, the kids of California and the rest of America will be competing in a global economy, and any plan to win has to include well-educated people."

Eastin said state governments, as well as the federal government, are beginning to take steps in the right direction.

"It was nice to hear President Clinton talk about education being America's No. 1 goal. And Gov. Wilson signing legislation to reduce class sizes also helps," Eastin said. "If more money is required, then it should be spent."

ITEMS: Most city needs destined to go unfunded

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Center Renovation.

— Increase annual funding for capital improvements.

— Set up a deferred maintenance reserve fund for certain facilities and assets, such as the fire department, the library, the beach bluff, city hall and storm drains.

— Reduce the city's debt on its real estate holdings.

■ Surveys and Studies:

— Pursue a post office plaza concept.

— Finalize the local coast plan.

— Pursue an economic study of the impacts associated with pine pitch canker.

— Develop a master plan for marked walking trails throughout town.

— Study the possibility of a fire station replacement or new construction.

■ Grants and Economic Support:

— Restore grants to private nonprofit cultural groups.

— Expand the subsidy for the Carmel Business Association's destination-marketing program.

— Finance and provide free ambulance service.

— Help finance the new Carmel Performing Arts Festival.

■ Parks and Open Space:

— Develop more mini-parks.

— Provide funding for landscaping Scout House grounds.

— Begin Mission Trail Nature Preserve improvements.

— Install more benches throughout the city.

— Buy private Pescadero Canyon lots.

— Develop tennis courts and/or skateboard facilities at Rio Park.

— Pursue an array of tree-planting projects throughout the city.

■ Staffing and Contracts:

— Improve staffing in the planning department.

— Increase beach patrol and fund beach warden during summer months.

— Add one full-time city gardener.

— Convert the recreation division into a full-scale department.

— Improve the salaries for certain underpaid employees.

■ Technical Improvements

— Allocate more funds for computer training.

— Establish a Web site and set up an "information system."

■ Maintenance Improvements:

— Create a beach boardwalk from Ocean to Eighth avenues.

— Chip seal streets in town where that work is needed.

— Renovate the par-course at Forest Hill Park.

■ Facilities:

— Invest more funding in existing facilities.

— Remodel Scout House to include upstairs restroom.

— Improve Forest Theater seating, lighting and ticket booth.

— Finish the interior of Vista Lobos meeting facility.

— Paint interior of city hall.

■ Traffic:

— Install traffic-calming devices on San Carlos, Junipero and Carpenter streets.

■ Parking:

— Create more parking at Forest Hill Park.

■ Equipment:

— Purchase computer software for community calendar.

— Purchase a 15-passenger van.

— Update sound systems in all facilities.

— Replace the fire department pickup and utility trucks.

Peninsula youths to focus on world hunger by staging '30-hour famine'

PINE CONE STAFF REPORT

A GROUP of 45 teen-agers from throughout Monterey County are staging a "30-hour famine" on Friday and Saturday to raise both consciousness and money for starving children throughout the world.

"Yes, we will feel hunger by the time these 30 hours are up, but it will be nothing compared to what many people feel every day," said 17-year-old Salinas resident Jeremiah Armstrong.

The goal of the participants, affiliated with 12 county schools and churches, is to raise $10,000. Last year, 18 people participated and $4,000 was raised.

The group's headquarters will be a suite and board room at the Embassy Suites hotel in Seaside, where the teenagers will spend the night. The hotel donated the accommodations, Armstrong said.

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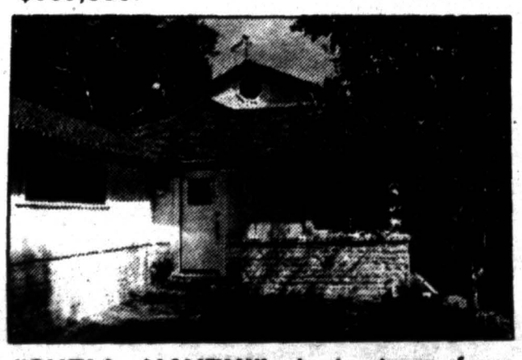

"SHELL HAVEN!" Just steps from Carmel Plaza is this roomy, 2300 sq. ft. recently remodeled 3-bedroom, 2-1.2-bath home. Offering 2 master suites, one with brick fireplace, open-beamed ceilings, hardwood floors, leaded-glass windows and charming Carmel-stone fireplace in the spacious living room. Leave your car in the garage...and walk to Sak's! $535,000.

CHIMNEY CAP! Carmel's finest ocean-view townhome is located at the "Chimney's," Carmel's finest condo development. A perfect easy-care townhouse with view of Point Lobos, Santa Lucia Mountains, Carmel Bay and the Pacific Ocean. Two bedrooms, 2-1/2-baths, cathedral ceilings, skylights, 2 fireplaces and a private elevator to underground parking. $595,000.

CARMEL COUNTRY MANOR! Perched high and enjoying great views out to the Santa Lucia Mountains, this exquisite home inside the gates of High Meadow #2 boasts 4 bedrooms & 3 baths, cathedral ceilings, Italian tile, custom cabinetry and award-winning landscape design. Dramatic living room and two fireplaces. $1,150,000.

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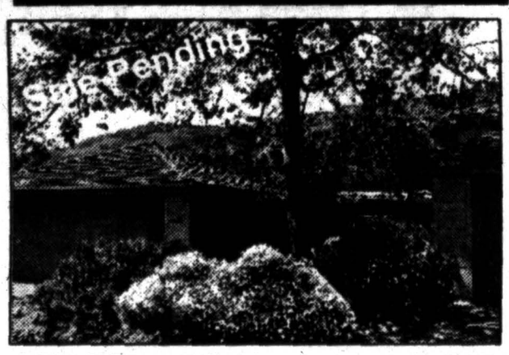

COUNTRY LIVING! This small PUD complex sits in a sheltered Valley location, just a stroll to Village shops. Freshly painted, features include 2 bedrooms, 2-2/2 baths and fireplace warmed living room. Over 2000 sq. ft. with an attached 2-car garage. The complex has a pool, spa and clubhouse. $325,000.

NEAR GARLAND PARK! In a great neighborhood and close to the trail entry of Garland Park, this one-bedroom home with guest house has lots of potential. There are high open-beam ceilings, tile floors, and a modern kitchen. (This acre-property did not flood in the 1994/1995 heavy rains!) $285,000.

PACIFIC GROVE

LOW MAINTENANCE LIFESTYLE! In an excellent section of town close to Washington Park is this spacious 3-bedroom, two-story home. Freshly painted outside, and new cabinetry & countertops in the kitchen. Plus security system and hot tub! $279,000.

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FAIRWAY & OCEAN VIEWS! Only a chip shot from the 15th green at Pebble Beach Golf Links is this marvelous estate home featuring 6 bedrooms & 4 baths, including a 2-bedroom guest house. The grounds offer privacy & dramatic golf & ocean views from the living room, library, kitchen & master bedroom. An exceptional property at a fabulous value. $2,950,000.

OCEANFRONT MEDITERRANEAN! Rarely available, on about two acres abutting the coastline near Cypress Point, this new Mediterranean residence of nearly 6000 sq. ft. captures spectacular ocean views from all primary rooms. Three generously-sized bedrooms, 4-1/2 baths, 3 fireplaces, tile floors, and spacious dining & family rooms are a few of the many features of this estate home. $8,950,000.

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On the Cover

Beaux Arts Ball recreates 1890s Paris in Pacific Grove

By BETH PENNEY

THIS SATURDAY, century-old Chautauqua Hall in Pacific Grove will echo with a different kind of history.

That evening, from 8 p.m. to midnight, the hall will be transformed into a "Parisian park looking up at the Moulin Rouge," according to event co-chair Flo Schaefer. The hall will be decorated with a turn-of-this-century theme, as it becomes the site of the second annual Beaux Arts Ball.

This lavish costume party, sponsored by the Friends of the Pacific Grove Arts Commission, also benefits the Arts Commission. Tickets are $30 per person and include an hors d'oeuvre and dessert buffet.

Former P.G. Mayor Schaefer, who is also chairperson of the Friends of the Arts group, said that the event provides people with "an exceptionally exciting evening because it is so original."

Attendees are encouraged to come in costume, and, Schaefer said, the costumes do not have to be specifically themed to "Gay Paree" of the 1890s. "Make yourself up however you want," she said, "just like the artists do in Paris for the Beaux Arts balls there."

Costumes encouraged but not required

Schaefer noted that while coming in costume is not required, it is not out of reach for those who make last-minute plans to attend. Three Peninsula costume companies, Broadway Costumes in Seaside, West Coast Costumes in Monterey, and Zucchini's Costumes for Less on Cannery Row, are offering substantial discounts to customers who are attending the Beaux Arts Ball. "But, " Schaefer said, "you don't have to wear a costume, and even if you don't it's so much fun to see the originality of the other costumes."

Prizes will be given for the best costumes after the event's "Grand Promenade" takes place. There is a $100 prize for the most original costume, a $50 prize for the most Parisienne, and a $25 prize for the most colorful.

Last year, the Ball raised more than $5,000 for the Friends of the Arts, which sponsors scholarships for high school students in the arts, free concerts in Pacific Grove parks throughout the year, music series, "artfests" for children, theatrical performances, a Shakespeare birthday celebration, and other arts-related events.

Schaefer said the group's fundraising goal was met and exceeded last year, and she hopes to meet it again this year. Merrymakers at Chautauqua Hall on Saturday night can bid on silent auction items that include sport and theater tickets, romantic getaways, meals at local restaurants, and other donated items. A drawing will also be held.

Pacific Grove Mayor Sandy Koffman and husband Dan do the Jane Avril/Toulouse-Lautrec number at the first Beaux Arts Ball last year. On the cover, Pacific Grove's Lou D'Angio and former mayor Flo Schaefer prepare to celebrate, Parisian-style. Schaefer is chairman of the Friends of the Pacific Grove Arts Commission.

Entertainment aplenty

Entertainment includes dancing to the Moonlighters Band, which, according to Schaefer, "plays all kind of music." She adds, however, that "there's so much more to do than just dancing." Street artists will be in evidence, Monterey's DiFranco Dancers will perform the can-can, Toulouse Lautrec will make an appearance, and, Schaefer promises, there will also be "surprise entertainment."

Food and drink include a no-host bar and a hot-and-cold buffet, including desserts, "that makes for a lovely supper," according to Schaefer.

Tickets for the Beaux Arts Ball are available from P.G. City Hall and at Lasting Memories on Lighthouse Avenue before the event, or call 373-3326 or 372-1910 to reserve tickets. They will also be available at the door unless capacity is reached.

Costumes can be rented at a discount to Beaux Arts Ball attendees from Broadway Costumes in Seaside, 899-0900; West Coast Costumes in Monterey, 375-7026; or Zucchini's Costumes for Less on Cannery Row, 372-3255.

Peninsula resonates with diverse musical styles

Plugged In

By Stephen L. Vagnini

PROMOTER **Barbara Murphy** of **Portofino Presents** announces an impressive lineup of concerts for spring beginning with two this weekend. On Friday, March 7 at Carleton Hall in Monterey, the sounds of Africa will resonate with the return of "Master of Drums" **Babatunde Olatunji**; and on Saturday at the Pacific Grove Art Center, folk singers **Steve Gillette** and **Cindy Mangsen** make their annual Monterey Peninsula appearance. Other upcoming concerts (all at the Pacific Grove Art Center) include **The Black Brothers** on Friday, March 14; the International Guitar Festival featuring **Peter Finger** on Saturday, March 29; smooth jazz vocalist **Adlain Alexander** on Saturday, April 12; and guitarist **Rick Ruskin** on Saturday, April 19.

A master percussionist, the Nigerian-born Olatunji seeks to convey enlightenment through his music. Promoting a deeper and more meaningful understanding of African culture through his concerts and lectures, Olatunji has devoted his life to this end. In 1959, his first album, *Drums of Passion*, sold five million copies and he immediately founded the Olatunji Center for African Culture.

He has achieved a modicum of crossover success with collaborations with Carlos Santana and Mickey Hart of the Grateful Dead. Promoter Murphy calls his appearances her "favorite and most rewarding." Accompanied by his troupe of musicians and drummers, Olatunji combines the music of Africa with the message of humanity's unlimited potential. Reservations: 373-7379. Advance tickets are $14; $15 at the door. Carleton Hall is located in the Monterey Religious Science Building at 400 W. Franklin St. in Monterey. Concert begins at 8 p.m.

Babatunde

At the Pacific Grove Art Center on Saturday, March 8, the husband and wife team of Gillette and Mangsen will perform traditional and contemporary folk music. A talented songwriter, Gillette's songs have been recorded by dozens of major artists including Garth Brooks, John Denver, Kenny Rogers, Linda Ronstadt, and Tammy Wynette. Says *Folk Roots Magazine* about the pair; "Still just about the classiest duo around. ... Gentlest of voices, sweetest of acoustic picking, fine songs." Concert starts at 8 p.m. Advance tickets are available at Bookmark in Pacific Grove ($10) or at the door ($12).

"The Swing Era Meets Dixieland"

The 17th Annual Dixieland Monterey Festival, scheduled for the weekend of March 7-9, is being billed as **Swing N' Dixie '97** with the addition this year of Swing Era dance bands. **The Generic Swing Orchestra** of El Dorado Hills will join a roster of more than 15 Dixieland bands that includes **The Bob Crosby Bob Cats** from Montville, N.J.; **Igor's Jazz Cowboys** from Tempe, Ariz.; **Tom Hook's Black Dogs** from Kansas City, Missouri; and local favorites **Jake Stock and the Abalone Stompers**. The music, which kicks off at 6 p.m. on Friday, takes place at several different "cabaret" locations all in the downtown Monterey area. Venues include various facilities at the Monterey Conference Center and the Doubletree Hotel as well as restaurants at Fisherman's Wharf.

Special events slated for this year include a tribute to Monterey's **"Mr. Music" Mike Marotta**, a Saturday morning jazz parade, and Sunday morning traditional jazz spirituals. In addition to Individual Day Badges ($20-$30/day), All-event (3 Day) Badges ($50), Individual Patron Badges ($125), and Family Patron Badges ($300) are available. Call the Dixieland Hotline at 443-5260 for tickets and/or more information.

CD parties at the Crossroads in Carmel

Cannery Row and downtown Monterey are generally viewed as the hubs of live music entertainment on the Monterey Peninsula but this perception is being slightly altered with the addition of another live music venue at the Crossroads Shopping Center in Carmel. This month both "mouth of the valley" venues, the **KRML Jazz Store** and **Chevy's Mexican Restaurant,** will showcase

*See **PLUGGED IN** page 15B*

■ Stephen L. Vagnini is a self-described music activist who resides in Marina. For more than 15 years Vagnini has promoted concerts, managed bands and covered the local music beat.

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MASTERS OF FOOD, WINE AND ROMANCE WORK MAGIC SPELL

The Bohemian Gourmet

By Jennifer Viegas

A HIGHLANDS INN ad claims that the inn is "a place to begin or nurture a fine romance." Given its stunning location in sight of Point Lobos, private accommodations and luxurious features like wood-burning fireplaces and spa baths, I am inclined to agree. Since 1917, the year it officially opened, Highlands Inn has established a tradition of celebrating fine foods, wine and romance.

At least the first two are guaranteed to be at the 11th annual "Masters of Food and Wine," continuing through Sunday, March 2. During its short history, this event already has evolved its own traditions. My favorite is the wild mushroom hunt and lunch. Participants, under the guidance of mushroom experts, get to search nearby areas for edible, wild mushrooms. Chefs at the inn, this year Wendy Brodie and John Ash, then prepare a delicious meal featuring the treasured fungi.

Cooking demonstrations will be given by "star" chefs Giuliano Bugialli, Emeril Lagasse and Jeremiah Tower. Also new this year is a rare opportunity to taste wines from the highly rated Penfolds Wine Group of Australia.

Romance may not be guaranteed at the Highlands Inn, but its colorful history, and February being the month for valentines, seems to indicate a favorable outlook. Two guests who hoped for just that were Elizabeth Taylor and Richard Burton.

Patricia Smith Ramsey, widow of Robert Ramsey, the inn's previous owner, recalls a memorable incident concerning this famous couple.

"Elizabeth Taylor and Richard Burton stayed at the inn. The waitress who served them their cocktails saved their martini glasses. She was thrilled, but to ensure their safekeeping, she buried them in a planter. At the end of the evening, the poor girl discovered someone had taken the glasses."

Over the years, according to Gabriela Knubis, director of public relations, "Highlands Inn has welcomed couples, young and old, who have come to the romantic retreat to exchange wedding vows, honeymoon and celebrate anniversaries." In 1966 the 25,000th wedding couple was honored. Recently the oldest living newlywed guests were treated to a free week's stay to mark the inn's platinum anniversary.

Whether you plan to be the next oldest living newlywed guest, to attend the Masters of Food and Wine, or just to spend a quiet evening at home, I encourage you to try the following two dishes. They will add a romantic touch to any menu. Each serves two, but the recipes easily may be adapted to yield more portions.

Oysters Rio

Named after Carmel's Rio Road, this dish is perfect for a romantic dinner. There even may be some truth in the old rumor that oysters are an aphrodisiac, since their uncommonly high zinc content is said to stimulate sexual potency.

12 oysters, shucked, with liquor reserved
1/4 cup butter
1 cup crushed oyster cracker crumbs
1 shallot, minced
1/4 cup condensed milk
1/2 cup Carmel Valley chardonnay
2 teaspoons Worcestershire sauce
1/4 teaspoon celery salt
1 teaspoon paprika

Preheat broiler to 550 degrees.

Melt butter in a saucepan over medium high heat. Pour half of the butter over cracker crumbs in a small bowl.

Sauté shallot in remaining butter. Add milk, wine, Worcestershire sauce, celery salt and oyster liquor. Reduce by one-half. Add oysters and cook until edges just begin to curl. Be careful not to overcook oysters. At this point, place oysters, along with a bit of cooking liquid, back into their shells. Top each oyster with buttered crumbs and a sprinkling of paprika. Broil for about a half a minute or until crumbs brown.

Yields two servings.

Champagne Berry Truffles

These individual trifles are as lovely to look at as they are to eat, so I recommend presenting them in tall, clear parfait glasses. Be sure to save extra champagne to serve alongside.

1-1/2 cups mixed berries, such as strawberries, blackberries and raspberries
2 tablespoons sugar
1/2 cup champagne, or other dry white wine
1 cup heavy cream
1/2 cup white chocolate chips
2 slices angel food cake, quartered
2 tablespoons grated semi-sweet chocolate

In a small bowl, sprinkle sugar over berries. Add champagne and toss.

Meanwhile bring cream to a boil in a small, heavy-bottomed pan over medium-high heat. Remove from heat. Add white chocolate chips and stir until melted. Cool to room temperature and beat until thickened.

To assemble individual trifles, place a small square of angel food cake in the bottom of a tall parfait glass. Drizzle a teaspoon or so of liquid from the berries over the cake, then a tablespoon of berries. Place a dollop of white chocolate cream over the berries. Repeat in layers, finishing with white chocolate cream. Place a single berry on top and sprinkle with grated semi-sweet chocolate.

Yields two servings.

■ *Jennifer Viegas is a food columnist for Knight-Ridder newspapers and is a freelance journalist for television and magazines. Her "Bohemian Gourmet," a Pine Cone exclusive, appears monthly.*

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12:00-1:30
Buffet Lunch,Autographs & Awards – All Pros & Celebrities
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5:00
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Chef Kenn Madsen and his wife, Elizabeth Stokkebye, co-own Crème Carmel. The original Crème Carmel still serves superlative French fare nightly. The extensive menu includes muscovy duck, Maine lobster and tenderloin of beef. Counted among the tempting desserts are chocolate souffle with chantilly cream, layered hazelnut pave and, of course, crème caramel.

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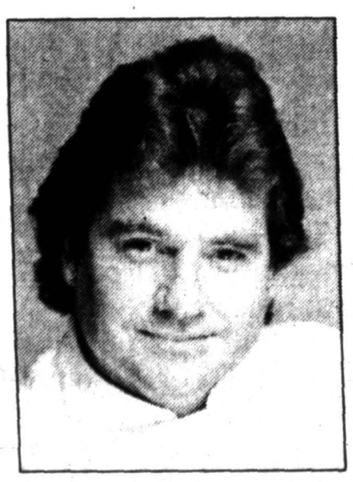

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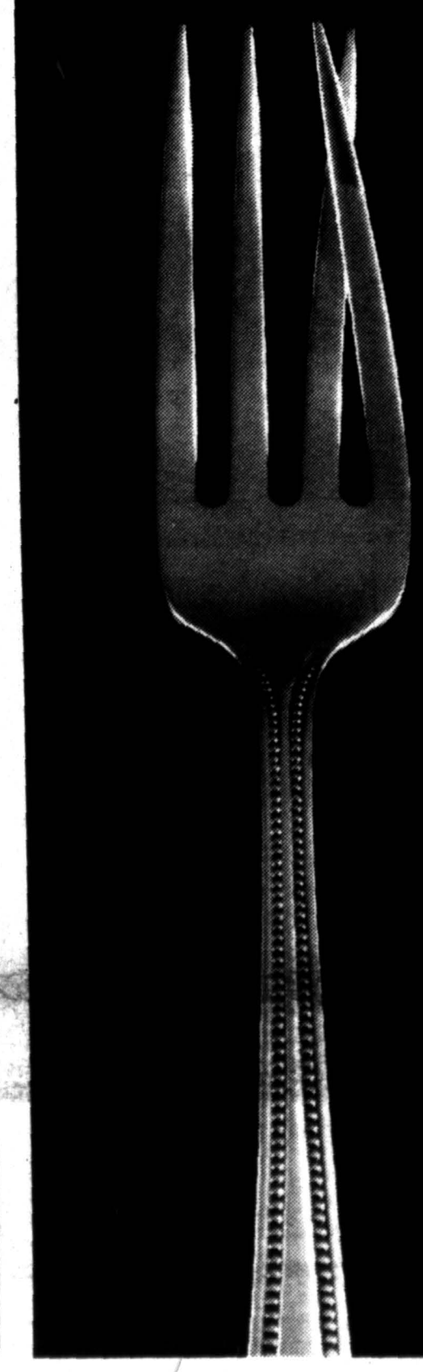

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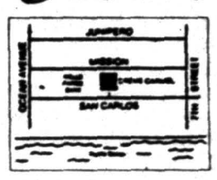

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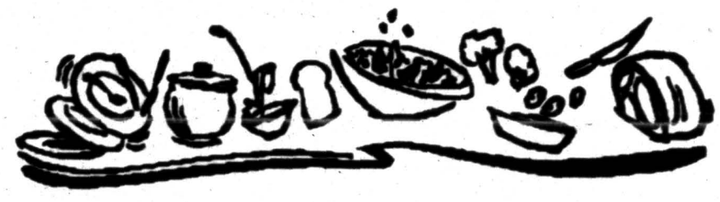

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DOUGLAS DEITCH, 3540 Porter Gulch Rd., Aptos 95003.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1/6/97.

(s) Douglas Deitch

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
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(s) Cecil Potter, Patricia Potter

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
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The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **CAROUSEL Lane, 555 SAN FELIPE ST., SALINAS, CA. 93901.**

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(s) Jennifer A. Davis

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FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
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The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **A STITCH & PINE, 210 Metz Road, Seaside, Ca. 93955.**

BRENDA W. DORMAN, 210 Metz Road, Seaside, Ca. 93955,

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(s) Brenda W. Dorman

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(s) Daniel E. Burton

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(s) Jan Jungnick Smith

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(PC210)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970121

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **OLSTEN HEALTH SERVICES, One Ragsdale Dr., Bldg. 1, Suite 110 Monterey, Ca. 93940.**

OLSTEN CERTIFIED HEALTHCARE CORP. Delaware, 175 Broad Hollow Road, Melville, New York, 11747.

This business is conducted by a corporation.

Type of Business: Health Care Services.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Sept. 24, 1997.

(s) Laura L. Laderoute, Vice President

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on 1/22/97.

Publication dates: Feb. 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.

(PC211)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970122

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **OLSTEN HEALTH SERVICES, One Ragsdale Dr., Bldg. 1, Suite 110 Monterey, Ca. 93940.**

KIMBERLY HOME HEALTH CARE, INC. Missouri, 175 Broad Hollow Rad., Melville, New York, 11747.

This business is conducted by a corporation.

Type of Business: Health Care Services.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Sept. 24, 1997.

(s) Laura L. Laderoute, Vice President

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on 1/22/97.

Publication dates: Feb. 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.

(PC212)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970124

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **LA MEXICANA BAKERY, 43 E. Market, Salinas, Ca. 93901.**

JOSE G. CECEñAS, 792 St. Helen Way, Salinas, Ca. 93905.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Jan. 1, 1997.

(s) Jose Ceceñas

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on 1/22/97.

Publication dates: Feb. 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.

(PC213)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970096

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **GIFT WORLD, 13433 Jackson St., Salinas, Ca. 93906.**

FREDERICK L. SURBER, 13433 Jackson St., Salinas, Ca. 93906.

MARY A. SURBER, 13433 Jackson St., Salinas, Ca. 93906.

This business is conducted by a husband and wife.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Jan. 5, 1997.

(s) Frederick L. Surber

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on 1/15/97.

Publication dates: Feb. 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.

(PC214)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970196

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **TERESA'S PENINSULA HAIR DESIGN, 285 Reindollar Ave., Marina, Ca. 93933.**

ERIC FRANCIS VALDES-CARO, 285 Reindollar Ave., Marina, Ca. 93933.

MARIA TERESA VALDES-CARO, 285 Reindollar Ave., Marina, Ca. 93933.

This business is conducted by a husband and wife.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Jan. 2, 1997.

(s) Eric F. Valdescaro

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on 1/29/97.

Publication dates: Feb. 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.

(PC215)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970049

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **VALS AUTO DIAGNOSTICS & REPAIR, 619 N. Sanborn Rd., Salinas, Ca. 93901.**

JOSE VALENTIN RODRIGUEZ RICO, 15 Cowles Rd., Watsonville, Ca. 95076.

IMELDA RODRIGUEZ B. 15 Cowles Rd. Watsonville, Ca. 95076.

J. DAVID RODRIGUEZ, 10420 McDougallSt. #B, Castroville, Ca. 95012.

JANE BIEVER, 34 Mayfair, Salinas, Ca. 93901.

This business is conducted by a general partnership.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Oct. 1, 1995.

(s) Imelda Rodriguez B.

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on 1/9/97.

Publication dates: Feb. 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.

(PC217)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970074

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **PARKVIEW VETERINARY HOSPITAL, 260 Crocker Ave., Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.**

SANDRA ZIEMSKI, 260 Crocker Ave., Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on April 15, 1997.

(s) Sandra Ziemski

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 13, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.

(PC204)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970137

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **THE GOLDSMITH COMPANY, 4 Deermeadow Place, Carmel Valley, Ca. 93924.**

JOHN FREDERICK GOLDSMITH, 4 Deermeadow Place, Carmel Valley, Ca. 93921.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Jan. 23, 1997.

(s) John Goldsmith

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on 1/23/97.

Publication dates: Feb. 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.

(PC220)

NOTICE OF INTENDED BULK TRANSFER
(Commercial Code Section 6107)

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that BOULEVARD COMMUNICATIONS, INC. A California Corporation and JAMES A. WILLINGHAM, whose business address is 2850 Cherry Avenue, Long Beach, California 90806, intends to transfer to ADVANTAGE MONTEREY, LLC, a California Limited Liability Company, whose address is 1711 Del Monte Boulevard, Seaside, California, 93955, the following property located at: 1711 Del Monte Boulevard, Seaside, California, 93955 certain trade fixtures, equipment, inventory and supplies of that certain business known as MONTEREY JAGUAR AND SAAB, and INFINITY OF MONTEREY.

During the three years immediately past, the Transferor has conducted business under the following names at the following addresses: MONTEREY JAGUAR, ROLLY ROYCE AND SAAB, and INFINITY OF MONTEREY, 1711 Del Monte Boulevard, Seaside, California, 93955.

The aforementioned transfer will be consummated on or after February 24, 1997, at the office of RONALD A. PARRAVANO, Attorney at Law, 419 Webster Street, Suite 100, Monterey, California 93940. Claims of creditors may be filed with RONALD A. PARRAVANO, at the above address on or before February 21, 1997.

ADVANTAGE MONTEREY, LLC.

(s) James Tracy, Transferee

Dated: January 28, 1997

Publication dates: Feb. 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.

(PC209)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970174

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **TRULY LOVING CARE T.L.C. Pet Sitters, P.O. Box 288 Monterey, Ca. 93942-0288/833 W. Franklin St. Mont. Ca. 93940.**

ROBERT R. WING, 833 W. Franklin St., Monterey, Ca. 93940.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Feb. 1, 1997.

(s) Robert Reginald Wing

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on 1/28/97.

Publication dates: Feb. 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.

(PC221)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970230

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **ANNETTE YEE AND COMPANY, 27205 Meadows Road, Carmel, Ca. 93923.**

ANNETTE T.P. YEE, 27205 Meadows Road, Carmel, Ca. 93923.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 12/9/96.

(s) Annette T. Pee

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 3, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 20, 27, March 6, 13, 1997.

(PC251)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970298

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **WESTERN WILDFIRE RESOURCES, 36905 Dormody Road, Carmel, Ca. 93923.**

ROBERT H. DORMODY, 36905 Dormody Road, Carmel, Ca. 93923.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Feb. 7, 1997.

(s) Robert H. Dormody

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 7, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 20, 27, March 6, 13, 1997.

(PC252)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970310

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **SALT & PEPPER CAFE, 13 W. Carmel Valley Rd., CV, CA. 93924.**

ROSE MARY MARTIN, 243 Spruce Ave., P.G., Ca. 93950.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on March 1, 1997.

(s) Rose M. Martin

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 10, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 20, 27, March 6, 13, 1997.

(PC253)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970147

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **THE SUN ENTERTAINMENT RECREATION & NEWS WEEKLY, 26515 Carmel Rancho Blvd., Suite 201, Carmel, Ca. 93922.**

ELIZABETH EGAN COWLEY, 219 Watson #C, Monterey, Ca. 93940.

JOANNA LANGFIELD, 115 Grand Apt. D. Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.

This business is conducted by a general partnership.

(s) Elizabeth Cowley

(s) Joanna Langfield

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 24, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 20, 27, March 6, 13, 1997.

(PC256)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970131

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **ROOM SERVICE, 915 Hilby #27, Seaside, Ca. 93955.**

JANICE M. BANASZEK, 1112 Arroyo Dr., Pebble Beach, 93953.

JANICE M. EVANS, 9528 Bay Ct., Carmel, Ca. 93923.

This business is conducted by co-partners.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Feb. 1, 1997.

(s) Janice M. Banaszek

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 22, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 20, 27, March 6, 13, 1997.

(PC254)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970334

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **STONED EARTH PRODUCTS, 24726 Cabrillo St., Carmel, Ca. 93923.**

VICTOR NEVIN SCHWIEN, 24726 Cabrillo St., Carmel, Ca. 93923.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/14/97.

(s) Victor Schwien

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 13, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 20, 27, March 6, 13, 1997.

(PC255)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970713

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **FOREST LANDSCAPE, 798 Lighthouse AVe. #180, Monterey, Ca. 93940.**

THOMAS J. KNODEL, 798 Lighthouse Ave. #180, Monterey, Ca. 93940.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Jan. 22, 1997.

(s) Thomas J. Knodel

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 28, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 20, 27, March 6, 13, 1997.

(PC257)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970287

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **MOBILE RADIO ENGINEERS, 955 Cesar Chavez Blvd., San Francisco, CA. 94124.**

MOBILE RADIO ENGINEERS, L.L.C., Oregon, One Southwest Columbia, Suite 1500, Portland, Oregon 97258-2079.

This business is conducted by a limited liability company.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1/1/97.

(s) Frank Vanderbilt, Vice-president

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 3, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 20, 27, March 6, 13, 1997.

(PC258)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970211

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **GOFER DELIVERY SERVICE, 27680 Schulte Rd., Carmel, Ca. 93923.**

HUGH LEDDY, 27680 Schulte Rd., Carmel, Ca. 93923.

SUSAN LEDDY, 27680 Schulte Rd., Carmel, Ca. 93923.

This business is conducted by a husband and wife.

(s) Hugh Leddy,

(s) Susan Leddy

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 30, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 27, March 6, 13, 20, 1997.

(PC266)

This week's legals on pages 6B, 8B in section II and page 12 in section one.

THURSDAY 27

MUSIC/DANCE

"A Taste of Jazz" with the Martin Mann Trio and Diane Anderson — A Taste of Monterey, 700 Cannery Row (upstairs), Monterey, 7-11 p.m., $15. Phone 883-0855.

Blues & Jazz Jam Session with guitarist Joe Lucido — Whitey's Place, American Tin Cannery, 125 Ocean View Blvd., Pacific Grove, 9 p.m., no cover. Phone 646-8383.

Brazilian Jazz with The Helcio Milito Trio featuring flautist Tim Jackson — The Inn at Spanish Bay, 2700 17-Mile Drive, Pebble Beach, 7-11 p.m., free. Phone 647-7423.

Harpist Juli Alexander — The Bay Club, The Inn at Spanish Bay, 2700 17-Mile Drive, Pebble Beach, 7-10:30 p.m. Phone 647-7500.

Funk and R&B with Dennis Murphy & the All Stars — Cibo, 301 Alvarado, Monterey, 9 p.m.-12:30 a.m., no cover. Phone 649-8151.

R&B with Fat Habit— Doc's Nightclub, 95 Prescott Ave., Monterey, 9 p.m., no cover. Phone 649-4241.

The Dino Vera Duo — The Tap Room Bar & Grill, The Lodge at Pebble Beach, 17-Mile Drive, 7-11 p.m. Phone 624-3811.

MPC Concert Band invites interested musicians to join its rehearsals — MPC, 980 Fremont St., Monterey. Phone 646-4063.

17th Century chamber music — Carl Cherry Center for the Arts, 4th and Guadalupe, Carmel, 8 p.m., $20. Phone 624-7491.

LECTURES/WORKSHOPS

"Women — Share Your Light!" women's group to express passions, creativity (ongoing) — Thunderbird Bookstore, Barnyard Shopping Center, Highway 1 and Carmel Valley Road, Carmel, 7 p.m., free. Phone 624-1803.

"Rehabilitated and Free Ranging Harbor Seal Pups: Is there a Difference?" lecture hosted by the American Cetacean Society — Hopkins Marine Station, Pacific Grove, P.G., 7:30 p.m., free. Phone 622-0800.

MISCELLANEOUS

GAEA (Global Agenda for Environmental Action) meeting — 7-9:30 p.m., snacks 6-6:30 p.m., call for location: 659-4090.

"Every Thursday" discussion group, led by Reverend Ronald Barton, meets — Community Church of the Monterey Peninsula, Carmel Valley Rd. 1 mile east of Highway 1, Carmel, 2-3:30 p.m. and 7-8:30 p.m., free. Phone 624-8595.

Monterey Peninsula Visitors & Convention Bureau 1st annual meeting and luncheon — Conference Center, The Lodge at Pebble Beach, 12-2 p.m., $20/$25. Reservations 648-5358.

Masters of Food & Wine tours, wine tastings, lunches and cooking demonstrations — various locations throughout Monterey County, call (800) 969-2202 or 624-3801 for tickets and more information.

Monterey Public Library's Literary Circle discusses Shakespeare's *Hamlet* — Community Room, MPL, 625 Pacific St., Monterey, 7 p.m., free. Phone 646-3930.

27th annual John Steinbeck Birthday Gala — Monterey Conference Center, 1 Portola Plaza, Monterey, 6-10 p.m., free. Phone 372-8512.

FRIDAY 28

MUSIC/DANCE

Jazz with the Helcio Milito Trio featuring vibraphonist Rob Lautz — Lobby Lounge, The Inn at Spanish Bay, 2700 17-Mile Drive, Pebble Beach, 7-11 p.m., free. Phone 647-7423.

Guitarist Robert McNamara — The Bay Club, The Inn at Spanish Bay, 2700 17-Mile Drive, Pebble Beach, 7-10:30 p.m. Phone 647-7500.

Dino Vera — Terrace Lounge, The Lodge at Pebble Beach, 17-Mile Drive, 5:30 - 8 p.m. Phone 624-3811.

Piano bar and open mike with pianist Richard Stauff — Los Laureles Lodge, Carmel Valley, 8:30-11:30 p.m. Phone 659-2233.

Dino Vera & Django — The Tap Room Bar & Grill, The Lodge at Pebble Beach, 17-Mile Drive, 10 p.m.-1 a.m. Phone 624-3811.

Blues with The Cruzin' Deuces — Doc's Nightclub, 95 Prescott Ave., Monterey, 9 p.m., no cover. Phone 649-4241.

Reggae with Tony Miles — Cibo, 301 Alvarado, Monterey, 9:30 p.m.-1:30 a.m., no cover. Phone 649-8151.

Strolling blues guitarist Raybob Bowman — Memphis Blues restaurant, Wharf 2, Monterey, 6-9 p.m. Phone 655-1401.

Jazz classics with vocalist Mary Anne Randl and pianist Biff Smith — Carmel Valley Ranch, Mid-Valley/Robinson Canyon, 7-9 p.m., no cover. Phone 625-9500.

Rock and funk with Big Rain — Chevy's restaurant, Rio Road and Highway 1, Carmel, 9 p.m., no cover.

Blues with The Bluesy Brothers — Viva Monterey, Alvarado St., Monterey, 9:30 p.m.

LECTURES/WORKSHOPS

"Psychological Meaning of Greek Mythology" discussion — Monterey Friends of C.G. Jung, 284 Foam St., Monterey, 7 p.m., $7-$10. Phone 649-4018.

Alliance on Aging Senior Outreach luncheon featuring weather predictions by meteorologist Robert Renard — Pacific Grove Community Center, 515 Junipero Ave., P.G., 12 p.m., $3. Phone 655-1334.

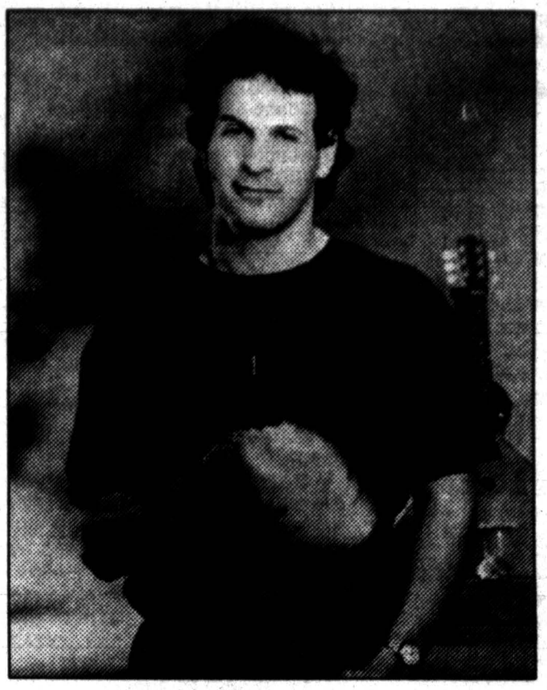
MISCELLANEOUS

Masters of Food & Wine tours, wine tastings, lunches and cooking demonstrations — various locations throughout Monterey County, call (800) 969-2202 or 624-3801 for tickets and more information.

Open auditions for actors, singers and dancers — The Western Stage, Hartnell College, Salinas, 4-8 p.m., call 759-6037.

Travel film on Spain — Sunset Center Theater, San Carlos and 9th, Carmel, 2 p.m. and 7:45 p.m., $8. Phone 1-800-247-4447.

SATURDAY 1



MUSIC/DANCE

Jazz with the Helcio Milito Trio featuring vibraphonist Rob Lautz — Lobby Lounge, The Inn at Spanish Bay, 2700 17-Mile Drive, Pebble Beach, 7-11 p.m., free. Phone 647-7423.

Dino Vera & Django — The Tap Room Bar & Grill, The Lodge at Pebble Beach, 17-Mile Drive, 10 p.m.-1 a.m. Phone 624-3811.

Guitarist Robert McNamara — The Bay Club, The Inn at Spanish Bay, 2700 17-Mile Drive, Pebble Beach, 7-10:30 p.m. Phone 647-7500.

Singer/songwriter John Bankston — River Inn, Highway 1, Big Sur, 8 p.m. Phone 667-2700.

Blues with John Tucker's Broadway Band— Doc's Nightclub, 95 Prescott Ave., Monterey, 9 p.m., no cover. Phone 649-4241.

Jazz/R&B with Neil Banks & Friends — Cibo, 301 Alvarado, Monterey, 9:30 p.m.-1:30 a.m., no cover. Phone 649-8151.

Jazz with the Buddy Jones Trio — Kate's Table, Carmel Valley Inn, Carmel Valley Road at Laureles Grade Road, Carmel Valley, 8-11 p.m., no cover. Phone 659-8004.

Strolling blues guitarist Raybob Bowman — Memphis Blues restaurant, Wharf 2, Monterey, 6-9 p.m. Phone 655-1401.

Rebbe Soul-O plays jazz and new age interpretations of traditional Jewish songs — Congregation Beth Israel, 3716 Carmel Valley Rd., Carmel, 8 p.m., $12/$10. Phone 624-2015.

Drumming and dancing with San Jose Taiko and the MPC Pacific Islander club — Pomroy University Center, CSU Monterey Bay, 7:30 p.m., $10/$5.

Annual Middle School Honors Concert — Pacific Grove Middle School, P.G., 2 p.m., free. Phone 625-2785.

CD release party for the Nick Williams Quartet — The Jazz Store, 236 Crossroads Blvd., Carmel, 7:30 p.m., $20/$10. Phone 624-6432.

Rebbe Soul-O performs rock and soul

WHAT: Rebbe Soul-O, soulful jazz and new age interpretations of traditional Jewish songs
WHEN: 8 p.m. Saturday
WHERE: Congregation Beth Israel, 5617 Carmel Valley Road, Carmel Valley
COST: $10 advance, $12 at the door
INFO/RESERVATIONS: 624-2015.

MISCELLANEOUS

"Monterey Women Making History," 2nd annual conference celebrating Monterey County women — Monterey Peninsula College, 980 Fremont St., Monterey, 8:30 a.m.5 p.m., $10. Phone 646-4063.

"Les Beaux Arts Ball," bohemian costume extravaganza presented by the Pacific Grove Friends of the Arts — Chautauqua Hall, Central and 16th, Pacific Grove, 8 p.m.-midnight, $30. Phone 373-3326 or 372-1910.

Masters of Food & Wine tours, wine tastings, lunches and cooking demonstrations — various locations throughout Monterey County, call (800) 969-2202 or 624-3801 for tickets and more information.

Auditions for upcoming MPC Theatre Co. productions of *Bye Bye Birdie, To Kill A Mockingbird,* and *Shenandoah*. — Main Stage Theatre, MPC, 980 Fremont St., Monterey, 11 a.m., call 646-4085.

Open auditions for actors, singers and dancers — The Western Stage, Hartnell College, Salinas, 10 a.m.-1 p.m. & 2-6 p.m., call 759-6037.

SUNDAY 2

MUSIC/DANCE

Jazz with the Helcio Milito Trio featuring flautist Kenny Stahl — Lobby Lounge, The Inn at Spanish Bay, 2700 17-Mile Drive, Pebble Beach, 7-11 p.m., free. Phone 647-7423.

Harpist Juli Alexander — The Bay Club, The Inn at Spanish Bay, 2700 17-Mile Drive, Pebble Beach, 7-10:30 p.m. Phone 647-7500.

Jazz brunch with pianist Biff Smith — Kate's Table, Carmel Valley Inn, Carmel Valley Road at Laureles Grade Road, Carmel Valley, 1-3 p.m. Phone 659-8004.

Pianist Jan Deneau — Terrace Lounge, The Lodge at Pebble Beach, 17-Mile Drive, 8-11 p.m. Phone 624-3811.

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The following schedule begins Friday 2- 28 - 97

SHINE
RATED (PG13)
1:00 3:15 5 :30 7:45 10:00

DONNIE BRUSCO
RATED (R)
1:30 4:15 7:00 9:45
SORRY, NO GATS OR PASSES WILL BE ALLOWED

Cinema Cal Enterprises
LIGHTHOUSE CINEMAS
525 Lighthouse Pacific Grove
· 372-7300 ·
$4.00 BARGAIN MATINEES DAILY
ALL SHOWS BEFORE 2:00 PM
The following schedule begins 2-28-97

ENGLISH PATIENT
(R)
12:15 3:45 7:00 10:00

SLINGBLADE
(R)
1:30 4:30 7:15 10:00
NO GATS OR PASSES UNTIL 7 MAR. '97

THAT DARN CAT
(PG) 12:15 2:305

MOTHER
(PG-13) 5:00 7:15 9:30

EVITA
(PG) 1:00 7:00
EVITA & ROSEWOOD ARE SEPERATE ADMISSION

ROSEWOOD
(R) 4:00 10:00
NO GATS OR PASSES UNTIL 7 MAR. '97

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INCLUDES SENIORS & CHILDREN
ALL SHOWS BEFORE 2:00 PM
THIS SCHEDULE BEGINS 2-28-97

DANTE'S PEAK
(PG13)
11:30 2:00 4:30 7:00 9:30

ABSOLUTE POWER
(R)
11:00 11:30 1:30 2:15 4:15 5:00 7:00 7:45 9:45 10:15
NO GATS OR PASSES UNTIL 2-28-97

BOOTY CALL
(R)
11:15 1:15 3:15 5:25 7:30 9:45
NO GATS OR PASSES

STAR WARS
(PG)
10:45 11:15* 1:30 2:00* 4:10 4:45 6:45 7:30* 9:30 10:15*
* THX

SCREEN 5:
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Public notices

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970222

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **MARINA PRODUCE & IMPORTS, KALKA, 3070 Del Monte Blvd., Marina, Ca. 93933.**

VINEN SINGH, 425 Fulton Wy. Salinas, Ca. 93907.

SAROJANI DEVI SINGH, 425 Fulton Wy. Salinas, Ca. 93907.

This business is conducted by a husband and wife.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 3/15/97.

(s) Vinen Singh

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 8, 1997

Publication dates: Feb. 13, 20, 27, March 6, 1997.

(PC227)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970217

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **ARCADIA ANTIQUES, Mission Btwn. 5th & 6th, (P.O. Box 7352) Carmel, Ca. 93921.**

MRS. SHINOBU TABATA, 583 Mar Vista Dr., Monterey, Ca. 93940.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/12/97.

(s) Shinobu Tabata

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 31, 1997

Publication dates: Feb. 13, 20, 27, March 6, 1997.

(PC228)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970150

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **MID-VALLEY TEXACO, 501 Mid Valley Center, Carmel, Ca. 93923.**

KAMBIZ AJIR, 204 Upper Walden Carmel, Ca. 93923.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Jan. 24, 1997.

(s) Rambiz Ajir

This statement was filed with *the County Clerk of Monterey* County on Jan. 24, 1997

Publication dates: Feb. 13, 20, 27, March 6, 1997.

(PC229)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970162

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **RANDY'S LOCK & KEY, 3046 Sunset Ave. #1, Marina, Ca. 93933-3815.**

RANDALL ROGER RALSTON, 3046 Sunset Ave. #1, Marina, Ca. 93933-3815.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Feb. 15, 1997.

(s) Randall R. Ralston

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 27, 1997

Publication dates: Feb. 13, 20, 27, March 6, 1997.

(PC230)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970195

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **HACIENDA FEED, 7180 Carmel Valley Road, Carmel, Ca. 93923.**

P. DAVE NELSON, P.O. Box 22411 2nd & Monte Verde, Carmel, Ca. 93922.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Jan. 29, 1997.

(s) Dave Nelson

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 29, 1997

Publication dates: Feb. 13, 20, 27, March 6, 1997.

(PC231)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970144

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **UNITED LIQUID WASTE COMPANY, INC. 29300 Pacific St., Hayward, Ca. 94531.**

ELIO CHIAPPE, California, 3330 Dunes Dr., Marina, Ca. 93933.

This business is conducted by a corporation.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/26/92.

(s) Elio Chiappe, president

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 24, 1997

Publication dates: Feb. 13, 20, 27, March 6, 1997.

(PC232)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970160

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **AG VENTURE TOURS, 428 Dela Vina Ave. #115, Monterey, Ca. 93940.**

EVAN OAKES, 428 Dela Vina Ave., #115 Monterey, Ca. 93940.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Jan. 27, 1997.

(s) Evan Oakes

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 27, 1997

Publication dates: Feb. 13, 20, 27, March 6, 1997.

(PC233)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970029

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **FULL COLOR GARDENING SERVICES, 2172 N. Main #G, Salinas, Ca. 93906.**

FELIPE DURAN 2172 N. MAIN #G, Salinas, Ca. 93906.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1/7/97.

(s) Felipe Duran

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 6, 1997

Publication dates: Feb. 13, 20, 27, March 6, 1997.

(PC234)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970029

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **FULL COLOR GARDENING SERVICES, 2172 N. Main #G, Salinas, Ca. 93906.**

FELIPE DURAN 2172 N. MAIN #G, Salinas, Ca. 93906.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 1/7/97.

(s) Felipe Duran

This statement was filed with *the County Clerk of Monterey* County on Jan. 6, 1997

Publication dates: Feb. 13, 20, 27, March 6, 1997.

(PC234)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F962206

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **OPTICAL IMAGES, Lincoln & Sixth, Carmel, Ca. 93921.**

STEPHEN J. GREEN, P. O. Box 6634 Carmel, Ca. 93921. 2 NW Ocean Santa Fe, Carmel, Ca. 93921.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Feb. 2, 1992.

(s) Stephen J. Green

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Nov. 25, 1996.

Publication dates: Feb. 13, 20, 27, March 6, 1997.

(PC246)

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF MONTEREY
CASE NO. M 37009
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
(C.C.P. S 1277)

In the Matter of the Application of JEFFREY WAYNE FEUERSTEIN, Petitioner, for Change of Name/

WHEREAS JEFFREY WAYNE FEUERSTEIN, petitioner, has filed a petition with the clerk of this court for a decree changing petitioner's name from JEFFREY WAYNE FEUERSTEIN to JEFFREY WAYNE MORINO.

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above matter appear in Department A of this court, located at 1200 Aguajito Road, Monterey, California, on MARCH 21, 1997, at 9:30 a.m., or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard, and show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of this order to show cause be published in CARMEL PINE CONE- CYMBOL, a newspaper of general circulation printed in Monterey County, California, once a week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing onthe peitition.

Dated: Feb. 4, 1997

(s) William D. Curtis

Judge of the Superior Court

Publication dates: Feb. 13, 20, 27, March 6, 1997.

(PC237)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970097

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **ALL AROUND TRAVEL, A FAMILY AFFAIR, 581 Paradise Road, Prunedale, Ca. 93907.**

SHERRIE LEE RININGER, 581 Paradise Rd., Prunedale, CA. 93907.

DALE LORAN RININGER, 581 Paradise Road, Prunedale, Ca. 93907.

This business is conducted by a husband and wife.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Jan. 15, 1997.

(s) Sherrie Rininger

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on 1/15/97.

Publication dates: Feb. 13, 20, 27, March 6, 1997.

(PC240)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970306

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **IGH CONSTRUCTION, Carmel Water & Lighting Comp., 65 Southbank Rd., Carmel Valley, Ca. 93924.**

STEVE R. RADFORD, 65 Southbank Rd., Carmel Valley, Ca. 93924.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 5/90-2/10/97.

(s) Steve R. Radford

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 10, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 13, 20, 27, March 6, 1997.

(PC241)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970058

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **RTM International, 3113 Bradley Circle, Marina, Ca. 93933-3302.**

RAYMOND T. MIRIKITANI, 3113 Bradley Circle, Marina, Ca. 93933-3302.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Nov. 1, 1993.

(s) Raymond T. Mirikitani

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on 1/10/97.

Publication dates: Feb. 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.

(PC224)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970059

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **MONTEREY BAY LODGE, 55 Camino Aguajito Road, Monterey, Ca. 93940.**

COUNTRY CLUB INVESTORS, A California Limited Partnership, Gerald L. Storz, General Partner, 9152 Greenback Ln. Orangeville, Ca. 95662.

This business is conducted by a limited parntership.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Jan. 1, 1997.

(s) Gerald L. Storz, Gen. Partner

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 10, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.

(PC225)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970237

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **YOUR EXECUTIVE ASSISTANT, 7 SE Santa Rita (between Ocean & Mt. View), P.O. Box 3874, Carmel, Ca. 93921**

ALISON C. ASA, 7 SE Santa Rita Between Ocean & Mtn. View, Carmel, Ca. 93921.

DAVID ASA, 7 SE Santa Rita Between Ocean & Mtn. View, Carmel, Ca. 93921.

This business is conducted by a husband and wife.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Feb. 3, 1997.

(s) Alison C. Asa

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on 2/3/97.

Publication dates: Feb. 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.

(PC226)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970155

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **DESIGN STUDIO, 467 Alvarado,Suite 3, Monterey, Ca. 93940.**

JENNIFER BIANCUCCI, 10756 Windham Bay Circle, Fresno, Ca. 93720.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Jan. 1, 1997.

(s) Jennifer Biancucci

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 27, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 20, 27, March 6, 13, 1997.

(PC249)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970171

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **RED SHOES RECORDS, 7 Merrill Way., Carmel Valley**

SARAH PATTERSON SPENCER, (P.O. Box 246 for mail) 7 Merrill Way, Carmel Valley, Ca. 93924.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Jan. 1, 1997.

(s) Sarah P. Spencer

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 27, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 13, 20, 27, March 6, 1997.

(PC242)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970289

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **GREYSTONE PRODUCTIONS, 2600 Garden Rd., Ste. 209 - Monterey, Ca. 93940.**

PATRICK KEITH IRELAND, #7 Merrill Way, Carmel Valley, Ca. 93924.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on March 1, 1997.

(s) Patrick K. Ireland

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 7, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 13, 20, 27, March 6, 1997.

(PC243)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970316

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **GARY HAEDRICK'S AUTO BODY, MARK'S BARN Sole Proprietor, 654 Ortiz Ave., Sand City, Ca. 93955.**

GARY R. HAEDRICH, 1061 Lorenzo Ct., Seaside, Ca. 93955.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Feb. 15, 1997.

(s) Gary R. Haedrich

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 31, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 13, 20, 27, March 6, 1997.

(PC244)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970251

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **LE SPA, Casa Dolores, Suite F (Dolores Avenue, between 7th & 8th Streets) Carmel, Ca. 93921.**

MONIQUE HOUTAVE PAUL, 496 Desert Holly Drive, Palm Desert, Ca. 92211.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 2/1/97.

(s) Monique Houtave Paul

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 4, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 13, 20, 27, March 6, 1997.

(PC245)

This week's legals on pages 6B, 8B in section II and page 12 in section one.

NOTICE OF PETITION TO ADMINISTER ESTATE OF ALLEN B. LEUTKE
CASE NUMBER MP 13657

To all heirs, beneficiaries, creditors, contingent creditors, and persons who may be otherwise interested in the will or estate, or both, of **ALLEN B. LEUTKE, A PETITION** has been filed by **LYNDA CONLAN & VALERIE BLACK** in the Superior Court of California, County of MONTEREY.

THE PETITION requests that **LYNDA CONLAN & VALERIE BLACK** be appointed as personal representative to administer the estate of the decendent.

THE PETITION requests that the decedent's WILL and codicils, if any, be admitted to probate. The will and any codicils are available for examination in the file kept by the court.

THE PETITION requests authority to administer the estate under the Independent Administration of Estates Act. (This authority will allow the personal representative to take many actions without obtaining court approval. Before taking certain very important actions, however, the personal representative will be required to give notice to interested persons unless they have waived notice or consented to the proposed action.) The independent administration authoirty will be granted unless an interested person files an objection to the petition and shows good cause why the court should not grant the authority.

A HEARING on the petition will be held on 2/28/97 at 9:30 a.m. in Dept. A. located at 1200 Aguajito Road, Monterey, Ca. 93940.

IF YOU OBJECT to the granting of the petition, you should appear at the hearing and state your objections of file written objections with the court before the hearing. Your appearance may be in person or by your attorney.

IF YOU ARE A CREDITOR or a contingent creditor of the deceased, you must file your claim with the court and mail a copy to the personal representative appointed by the court within four months from the date of first issuance of letters as provided in section 9100 of the California Probate Code. The time for filing claims will not expire before four months from the hearing date noticed above.

YOU MAY EXAMINE the file kept by the court. If you are a person interested in the estate, you may file with the court a formal Request for Special Notice of the filing of an inventory and appraisal of estate assets or of any petition or account as provided in section 1250 of the California Probate Code. A Request for Special Notice form is available from the court clerk.

Attorney for petitioner **W. MONTGOMERY JONES** — SB#23365.

(s) Montgomery Jones
1340 Munras Ave. Suite 300
Monterey, Ca. 93940

This notice was mailed on 2/7/97 at MONTEREY, California.

Publication dates: Feb. 13, 20, 27, 1997.

(PC 236)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970299

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **C&N CONSULTING, 579 INCA Way, Salinas, Ca. 93906.**

CHERYL E. SHIELDS, 579 Inca, Salinas, Ca. 93906.

NORMA L. MILLS, 18795 VanBuren, Salinas, Ca. 93906.

This business is conducted by co-partners.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Feb. 10, 1997.

(s) Cheryl E. Shields

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 7, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 20, 27, March 6, 13, 1997.

(PC250)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970111

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **WEST STAR UNIFORMS, 555 San Felipe St., Salinas, Ca. 93901.**

WALTER DAVIS, 555 San Felipe St., Salinas, Ca. 93901.

This business is conducted by an individual.

(s) Walter Davis

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on 1/21/97.

Publication dates: Feb. 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.

(PC208)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970317

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **GPS 1027 Benito Ave., Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950. Mail add: P.O. Box 6005, Monterey, Ca. 93944-1005.)**

GERARD P. SOBNOSKY 1027 Benito Ave. Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.

This business is conducted by an individual.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Feb. 15, 1997.

(s) Gerard P. Sobnosky

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Feb. 11, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 20, 27, March 6, 13, 1997.

(PC260)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970182

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **SUNFLOWER FAMILY ANTIQUES & GIFTS, 869A Abbott St., Salinas, Ca. 93901.**

JOHN CARL WHITACRE, 12867 Jasper Way, Salinas, Ca. 93906.

DIANE LOUISE WHITACRE, 12867 Jasper Way, Salinas, Ca. 93906.

This business is conducted by a husband and wife.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Feb. 1, 1997.

(s) John Whitacre

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 27, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 20, 27, March 6, 13, 1997.

(PC261)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970091

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **MOONLIGHT INK, 763 Leese Dr., Salinas, Ca. 93907.**

DONNIE RAY VICKERS, 763 Leese Dr., Salinas, Ca. 93907.

JOANNE MARIE VICKERS, 763 Leese Dr., Salinas, Ca. 93907.

This business is conducted by a husband and wife.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on Feb. 1997.

(s) Donnie R. Vickers

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 15, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 20, 27, March 6, 13, 1997.

(PC262)

FICTITIOUS BUSINESS NAME STATEMENT
File No.F970201

The following person(s) is (are) doing business as **TEAM ADVENTURES, 1855 East Ave. Sand City, Ca. 93955.**

DAVID W. PHILLIPS, 802 Sunset #G, Pacific Grove, Ca. 93950.

This business is conducted by an unincorporated association other than a partnership.

Registrant commenced to transact business under the fictitious business name or names listed above on 8/93.

(s) David W. Phillips

This statement was filed with the County Clerk of Monterey County on Jan. 30, 1997.

Publication dates: Feb. 20, 27, March 6, 13, 1997.

(PC259)

SUPERIOR COURT OF CALIFORNIA COUNTY OF MONTEREY
CASE NO. M 36985
ORDER TO SHOW CAUSE
(C.C.P. S 1277)

In the Matter of the Application of Brandon Merrick Streeter, Petitioner, for Change of Name.

WHEREAS Brandon Merrick Streeter, petitioner, has filed a petition with the clerk of this court for a decree changing petitioner's name from Brandon Merrick Streeter to Brandon Merrick;

IT IS ORDERED that all persons interested in the above matter appear in Department A of this court, located at 1200 Aguajito Road, Monterey, California, on March 7, 1997, at 9:30 a.m., or as soon thereafter as the matter may be heard, and show cause, if any, why the petition for change of name should not be granted.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that a copy of this order to show cause be published in Carmel Pine Cone, cymbal a newspaper of general circulation printed in Monterey County, California, once a week for four successive weeks prior to the date set for hearing onthe petition.

Dated: 1/30/97.

William D. Curtis

Judge of the Superior Court

Publication dates: Feb. 6, 13, 20, 27, 1997.

(PC222)

From page 7B

Pianist Don Pendergrass — The Tap Room Bar & Grill, The Lodge at Pebble Beach, 17-Mile Drive, 7-11 p.m. Phone 624-3811.

Jazz with the Joe Lucido Trio — Cibo, 301 Alvarado, Monterey, 8:30 p.m.-12:30 a.m., no cover. Phone 649-8151.

Irish music performed by harpist Amy Krupski — Monterey Museum of Art at La Mirada, 720 Via Mirada, Monterey, 1:30-3:30 p.m., free. Phone 372-5680.

American classical pianist Ralph Votapek — Sunset Center, 9th and San Carlos, Carmel, $16-$22. Phone 624-7971.

LECTURES/WORKSHOPS

"Sea Otters: A Natural History Overview" lecture by Milos Radakovich — Pacific Grove Museum of Natural History, corner of Forest & Central avenues, P.G., 2 p.m., free. Phone 648-3116.

Nurse practitioner Ann Colbath discusses Planned Parenthood's *Encyclopedia* — Thunderbird bookstore, Barnyard Shopping Center, Highway 1 near Carmel Valley Rd., Carmel, 1-3 p.m., free. Phone 373-1709.

MISCELLANEOUS

Masters of Food & Wine tours, wine tastings, lunches and cooking demonstrations — various locations throughout Monterey County, call (800) 969-2202 or 624-3801 for tickets and more information.

Auditions for upcoming MPC Theatre Co. productions of *Bye Bye Birdie, To Kill A Mockingbird,* and *Shenandoah*. — Main Stage Theatre, MPC, 980 Fremont St., Monterey, 11 a.m., call 646-4085.

Screening of film *Moby Dick* — State Theater, 412 Alvarado St., Monterey, 7 p.m., $10/$7. 644-7588.

MONDAY 3

MUSIC/DANCE

KPIG Blues Night featuring Blues Bait — Doc's Nightclub, 95 Prescott Ave., Monterey, 9:30 p.m., no cover. Phone 649-4241.

Pianist Jan Deneau — Terrace Lounge, The Lodge at Pebble Beach, 17-Mile Drive, 8-11 p.m. Phone 624-3811.

Pianist Don Pendergrass — The Tap Room Bar & Grill, The Lodge at Pebble Beach, 17-Mile Drive, 7-11 p.m. Phone 624-3811.

Ongoing auditions for the Monterey County Symphony Chorus — Church of the Wayfarer, Carmel, 7:30-9:30 p.m. Phone 624-8511 to schedule an audition.

LECTURES/WORKSHOPS

"Dreams: What Can They Mean, If Anything?" — Monterey Friends of C.G. Jung, 284 Foam St., Monterey, 7 p.m., $10. Phone 649-4018.

"Spring Salads I've Known and Loved" Carmel Woman's Club lecture by catering consultant Mary Chamberlin — CWC clubhouse, 9th and San Carlos, Carmel, 2 p.m., $3. Phone 624-3379.

TUESDAY 4

MUSIC/DANCE

Greek folk dance classes — Sunset Center Room 10, San Carlos and Ninth, Carmel, all ages, partners not necessary, beginners 6:30 p.m., intermediates and advanced 7:30-9:30, $4. Phone 375-2549.

Harpist Juli Alexander — The Bay Club, The Inn at Spanish Bay, 2700 17-Mile Drive, Pebble Beach, 7-10:30 p.m. Phone 647-7500.

Reggae with Jonah and The Whalewatchers — Doc's Nightclub, 95 Prescott Ave., Monterey, 9 p.m., no cover. Phone 649-4241.

The Dino Vera Duo — The Tap Room Bar & Grill, The Lodge at Pebble Beach, 17-Mile Drive, 7-11 p.m. Phone 624-3811.

Soul/R&B with the Al James Band — Cibo, 301 Alvarado Ave., Monterey, 9 p.m.-12:30 a.m., no cover. Phone 649-8151.

LECTURES/WORKSHOPS

Lecture and treatments concerning Reiki healing energy — Whole Body Center, 3855 Via Nona Marie, Carmel, 7:30 p.m., free. Phone 479-8772.

SeaScape Adventure Sailing presents talk on shareboat cruising vacations — Community Room, Barnyard Shopping Center, Highway 1 near Carmel Valley Rd., Carmel, 7 p.m., free. Phone (206) 883-0961.

MISCELLANEOUS

Cypressaires Barbershop Harmony Chorus meets — Salvation Army Center, Contra Costa Street at Elm Avenue, Seaside, 7:15-10 p.m. Phone 373-1546.

Poetry readings, drumming and "creative sharing" (ongoing) — Triumphant Spirit Gallery, 419 Alvarado Ave., Monterey, 7:30 p.m., free. Phone 626-2876.

Flea Market — Monterey Fairgrounds, 2004 Fairgrounds Road, Monterey, dawn to dusk. Phone 800/588-FLEA.

Parents Without Partners orientation meeting — Monterey Public Library, 625 Pacific St., Monterey, 6:30 p.m., free. Phone 644-2773.

WEDNESDAY 5

MUSIC/DANCE

Harpist Juli Alexander — The Bay Club, The Inn at Spanish Bay, 2700 17-Mile Drive, Pebble Beach, 7-10:30 p.m. Phone 647-7500.

Monterey International Folk Dancers — Neighborhood Center, Lighthouse and Dickman, Monterey, 7-9:30 p.m., $1, all ages, partners not necessary. Phone 624-6060.

Blues with Big Jack Johnson — Doc's Nightclub, 95 Prescott Ave., Monterey, 9 p.m., no cover. Phone 649-4241.

Jazz/R&B with the Joe Lucido Trio and The Roger Eddy Band — Cibo, 301 Alvarado Ave., Monterey, 9 p.m.-12:30 a.m., no cover. Phone 649-8151.

LECTURES/WORKSHOPS

"Writing Your Life Experiences" workshop (ongoing) — Oldemeyer Center, 986 Hilby Ave., Seaside, 8:45-11:45 a.m., free. Phone 899-1615.

"Advanced Boundaries for Healthy Relationships" talk by Drs. Tom and Sarah Bishop — Community Room, Crossroads Shopping Center, Carmel, 7-9 p.m., free. Phone 624-8110.

MISCELLANEOUS

Flea Market — Monterey Fairgrounds, 2004 Fairgrounds Road, Monterey, dawn to dusk. Phone 800/588-FLEA.

Mother Goose reads children's stories — Bay Books & Coffeehouse, 316 Alvarado St., Monterey, 6:30 p.m. Phone 375-1855.

Duplicate bridge — All Saints Church, 9th and Lincoln, Carmel, 1 p.m., $4.25. Phone 625-4307.

Carmel Recreation BINGO (ongoing) — Vista Lobos building, Torres and 4th, Carmel, 2:30 p.m. Phone 625-1255.

Benefit screening of documentary *Beyond Barbed Wire* featuring special appearance by actor Pat Morita — Crossroads Cinema, Highway 1 and Rio Rd., Carmel, 6 p.m., $25. Phone 646-0910.

Lauded pianist returns to Carmel

ON SUNDAY, the Keyboard Artist Series presents American pianist Ralph Votapek in a recital at Sunset Theater in Carmel.

Ralph Votapek's early triumphs, as winner of the Naumburg Award and the gold medal in the first Van Cliburn International Piano Competition, were an auspicious prelude to his career.

Ralph Votapek

Votapek has appeared with most of the major orchestras on four continents and has made a special commitment to South America where he has toured every other year for over three decades. He has performed repeatedly at Carnegie Hall and Lincoln Center.

His program in Carmel will consist of Beethoven's "Les Adieux Sonata,: Brahms' "Klavierstücke Op. 76," Ginastera's "Sonata No. 1," Debussy's "Images Book II," and Ravel's own piano transcription of his "La Valse."

Tickets for the recital are priced from $16 to $22. For ticket information or to reserve tickets for the event call Keyboard Artist Series at 624-7971.

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WHAT'S IN A NAME?

Naked Ladies or Deer Tongues — plant world boasts unusual names

HEY, DID you see that group of naked ladies by the side of the road?

Garden Variety

By Thomas Mickler

How would *you* like to have your very own in your front yard? They're easy to take care of and they are quite beautiful.

Yes, yes, of course I'm referring to the plants called "Naked Ladies" or Amaryllis belladonna. These bulbs multiply on their own, and require little care or water.

They grow their leaves during and after the rainy season and then their leaves die. Just rake off the dead leaves and wait for your flowers to appear. The flowers are a pretty pink delicate-looking flower on the top of long "naked" stalks — hence their name.

Some people find that the botanical names of plants are strange, and I must agree. But those are in Latin. What I've found are some common plant names that are just as strange or funny, but they are in English, no excuses.

How about these for pure strangeness — Chickabiddy, Kinnikinnick, Ponutukawa, Jojoba and Lilly-Pilly tree?

If you're a religious person, you might appreciate having these plants in your yard for conversation pieces. There's Bishop's weed, Tree of Heaven, Angel's

See GARDEN VARIETY page 11B

PEOPLE IN THE NEWS

Dorothy Allen earns Re/Max honor

DOROTHY ALLEN has been named "Administrative Employee of the Year" for Northern California at the regional convention of Re/Max of California and Hawaii held last month in Palm Springs.

For the past three years, Allen, licensed as a real estate agent since 1992, has been the office manager for the Re/Max office in Carmel.

The award was presented to the Re/Max administrative employee "exhibiting outstanding professionalism, loyalty and support in all aspects of the real estate office for the year 1996."

The local Re/Max office is located at 26362 Carmel Rancho Lane.

Dorothy Allen proudly holds the plaque proclaiming her as "Administrative Employee of the Year" for 1996 at Re/Max.

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Pebble Beach

INCOMPARABLE VIEWS! $6,599,000
"Three Gables" — This preferred estate, located on the 14th fairway of the Pebble Beach Golf Links has a picturesque view of Carmel Beach and Bay including Point Lobos, the Pacific Ocean and Stillwater Cove. Approx. 4,700 + sq. ft. gracious 4 BR/4.5 BA single level home on 1.8 acres includes guest house and artist studio.

A "LOT" OF OPPORTUNITY $695,000
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IS LOCATION IMPORTANT? $445,000
Great home facing forested greenbelt. 3 BR/2 BA home. Comfort and convenience. Warm living room, fireplace, efficient kitchen, family room, master suite/dressing area. Two-car garage. Easy care parcel and more.

HOME FOR TODAY $365,000
This charming, 3 BR/2 BA get-away is perfect for weekends or year-round living. Views of country club fairways in heart of Pebble Beach. Ideal contemporary home.

Carmel/Carmel Highlands

JACK'S PEAK VIEWS $900,000
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LOOKING FOR EXTRA INCOME? $675,000
A 6-unit apartment/office building with off-street parking spaces. Two blocks south of the much desired, south of Ocean Avenue location.

WHAT A LOCATION $634,000
Three blocks to ocean and/or shopping. This 3 BR/3 BA home offers filtered ocean views on corner oversized lot. A home for vacations or year round living. Family room opens to large deck. Master suite on second floor with fireplace. New paint inside and out.

NEW ON THE MARKET $425,000
You will enjoy the picturesque valley and ocean views from this 3 BR/2 BA home in Carmel. Focus on Point Lobos, Fish Ranch, city and valley. Move-in condition but could use a little T.L.C. Priced to sell as-is.

NEW ON THE MARKET $385,000
Best location on peninsula. This choice unit affords end location and mountain and tree views from living room and balcony. Extra built-in closets and storage, 2 BR + den or TV room — possible third bedroom.

ATTENTION CONTRACTORS! $375,000
Super value on this .85 acre lot. Two legal lots of record. Remodel this home when water is available. Build on separate lot, high on the hill. Fish ranch views.

BEAUTIFUL LOCATION $350,000
Nestled in Carmel Highland, this full acre is graced by mature trees, a quiet neighborhood and view of the ocean. Close to Carmel. Enjoy the cool breeze and ocean view!

COMSTOCK STUDIO $315,000
A great room with windows and skylights plus cathedral ceiling and brick fireplace. 1 BR/1 BA plus kitchen in this approx. 969 sq. ft. home. French doors open out to a Carmel stone patio. See what you can do with this charmer.

Monterey

RELAXING SETTING $389,000
Great 4 BR/2.5 BA home in desirable location. Landscaped lot. Park-like setting. Abundance of storage. Features fireplaces, office, decking, automatic sprinkler system.

SOOTHING SOUNDS $319,000
Well maintained 3 BR/2 BA home near DLI. Hardwood floors, fireplace, bonus room and 2-car garage. Low maintenance yard w/Koi pond and waterfalls.

GREAT BEGINNINGS $259,000
Cute 3 BR/1 BA starter or retirement home near shopping. Spacious lot with oak trees and view of the hills.

COMMERCIAL POTENTIAL $220,000
Level parcel near Cannery Row with C2 commercial zoning. Value in land. Two small homes are not habitable at present. Call listing agent for information.

YOUR OPPORTUNITY $145,000
Here's your chance to upgrade or start anew. Petite 2 BR/1 BA home ready for your imagination. Close to DLI. See it and do your thing.

Pacific Grove

END THE SPACE RACE $479,000
Looking for a granny unit? 2 BR/2 BA house on 1/3 acre has lovely 1 BR/1 BA guest house. Main house approx. 1420 sq. ft. and granny unit 600 sq. ft. Perfect mother-in-law unit, legal w/skylights, garden windows, laundry, fireplace and more. Main house has solarium, family room w/hardwood floors, family kitchen, living room has corner brick fireplace.

EASY LIVING $369,900
Don't miss this 3 BR/2 BA home in move-in condition. Large master siute. Great sunroom addition. Updated kitchen and bathroom. You will love this low maintenance ranch style home less than a mile to the beach. Great floor plan, circular driveway, alarm system, Jacuzzi tub. Handicap access.

JUST LISTED $365,000
This newer home sits on a low-maintenance lot at the sunny end of Pacific Grove. 4 bedrooms upstairs. Downstairs features both family room/kitchen and separate living room. White tile countertops in kitchen. Upstairs laundry room. Full 2-car garage.

MAKE IT EASY ON YOURSELF $340,000
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NEW ON THE MARKET $278,800
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Getting to know the people behind the transaction

PERHAPS ONE of the most important decisions you'll make, other than the one to list or buy a property, is choosing the real estate agent to represent you.

Realtor Link

By Jeanette Menter

For most of us, the paperwork mill that kicks in after a transaction has begun is overwhelming. New laws make things more complicated every year. Your agent is entrusted with every single detail of seeing that your particular transaction is carried out smoothly.

But do you know those other people behind the scenes who work with the agent? I'm talking about the title companies, the mortgage lenders, the inspection firms, even the movers, exterminators and media representatives who help market your property.

These professionals are called "Affiliates" within the real estate community. Their goal is to work with the agents on each transaction to ensure that both the home buyer and seller have their needs met within specific guidelines.

The Affiliates have the opportunity to join the Monterey County Association of Realtors even though their designation is one of support, not as an agent.

In many cases, however, without their support no real estate transaction could be completed.

See AFFILIATES page 13B

GARDEN VARIETY

From page 10B

Trumpet, Job's Tears, Breath of Heaven, Angel's Tears, Moses-in-the-Boat and Solomon's Seal.

How about if you're an animal lover? I have lots of them: Elephant's Ears, Bunny Ears, Cat's Ears, Deer Tongue, Kangaroo Paw, Sheep Bur, Bird's Eyes, Burro Tail, Dinosaur Food and Pussy Toes.

Now let's take a trip down "relationship lane." First, it may start with Wallflower or Maiden's Wreath, then along comes Cupid's Dart.

After that we might find Love-in-a-Puff or Love-in-a-Mist. If all goes well, later there might be Pregnant (onion) and of course Mother-in-Law's Tongue (also called Snake Plant, any coincidence?).

If things may turn for the worst, that's when you might find Touch-Me-Nots, Love-Lies-Bleeding or a Bleeding Heart. Later we may find that Self-Heal might come in handy.

Ah Corn Cockle, you may say, these can't be plant names. Well, they are! If you do some looking around you are likely to find a great many more.

If you have a Sunset Western Garden book, you can look under the names above to find the plant's botanical name and some of the plant's characteristics, which will help explain their roots as well.

Many of the aforementioned plants grow just fine in our area.

So, whether you're a Freckle Face with Old Man's Whiskers, or just running around in your Lady's Slippers still looking for the Money Plant, or you're just looking for something a little strange to plant or to say to the neighbor, you may find it the form of a plant name.

Until next time, Happy Planting!

Thomas Mickler has been in the gardening and landscaping profession for more than a decade. His column appears every other week in the real estate / home & garden section of The Pine Cone. If you have a question for the columnist, he'll provide the answer in a subsequent column. You may contact him at P.O. Box 14, Marina, CA 93933. He's also available by phone at 384-3619.

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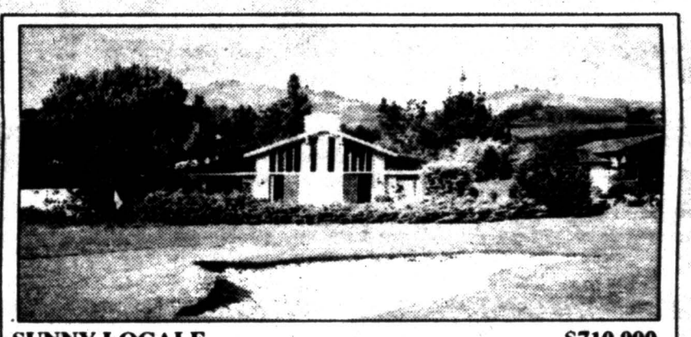
WER LAURELES HIDEAWAY $349,900
ll priced contemporary in quiet area. Nwer 3 BR/2.5 BA home with vacy, sunshine and acreage. The interior is bright and has many win-vs. Other pluses include vaulted ceiling, wood stove, and easy com-te.

NT TO BUILD? $295,000
n can on this beautiful oak covered lot with gorgeous valley views. ed community close to Salinas and Monterey in rural luxury com-nity. Build now as water is available.

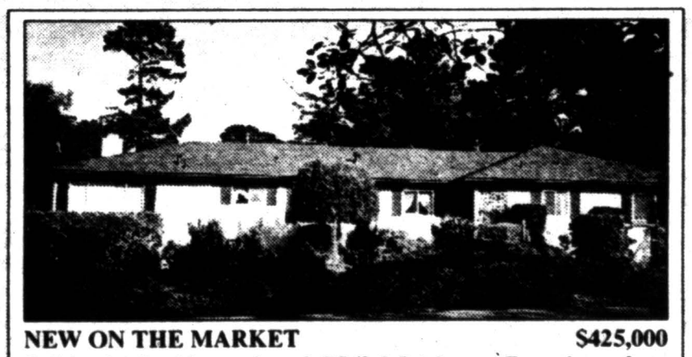
AUTIFUL LAS PALMAS $289,000
s lovely 4 BR/3 BA, approx. 2417 sq. ft. home backs to a sunny hill. interior features bleached oak cabinets, marble, vaulted ceilings, lights, and lots of windows. Beautifully landscaped grounds.

SUPER HOUSE! SUPER VALUE! $949,000
A dream home on this end of the best cul-de-sac in Carmel Valley. This 4 BR/3.5 BA home has vaulted ceilings, large kitchen, ground floor master bedroom, fireplaces in living and family rooms, mountain view, automatic sprinklers in rear, 2-car garage, patio. Horses O.K.

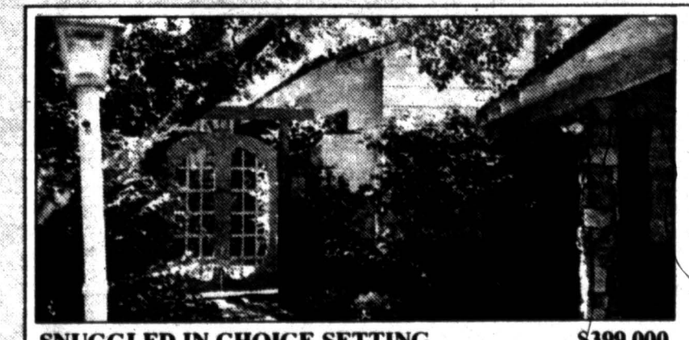


SUNNY LOCALE $710,000
Contemporary 3 BR/2.5 BA home overlooking Quail Lodge golf course in Carmel Valley. Spacious rooms, cathedral ceilings, open floor plan are inviting. Enter through a private courtyard. Master bath has large Jacuzzi tub.

IT SPARKLES! $529,000
Beautifully refurbished ranch home close to Spanish Bay in Pebble Beach. Dream kitchen w/fireplace, neutral colors, great family room w/fireplace, inside laundry, large private lot, hot tub, lots of decking, oversized 2-car garage, and quality throughout. Vacant — immediate possession.



NEW ON THE MARKET $425,000
Solid value in this spacious 3 BR/2.5 BA home. Extra-large family room with its own private bath and fireplace. Great possibilities for family and guests. Located on a private, corner lot next to greenbelt. Close to ocean and Spanish Bay in Pebble Beach. Recently refurbished.



SNUGGLED IN CHOICE SETTING $399,000
Explore the garden patio and move right into this charming and beautifully remodeled home "south of Ocean Avenue." You will love the large 2 BR/2 BA, sunny eat-in kitchen, large living room with a cozy river stone fireplace. This one is close to Mission Trail and Carmel Village.

PACIFIC GROVE CHARMER $240,000
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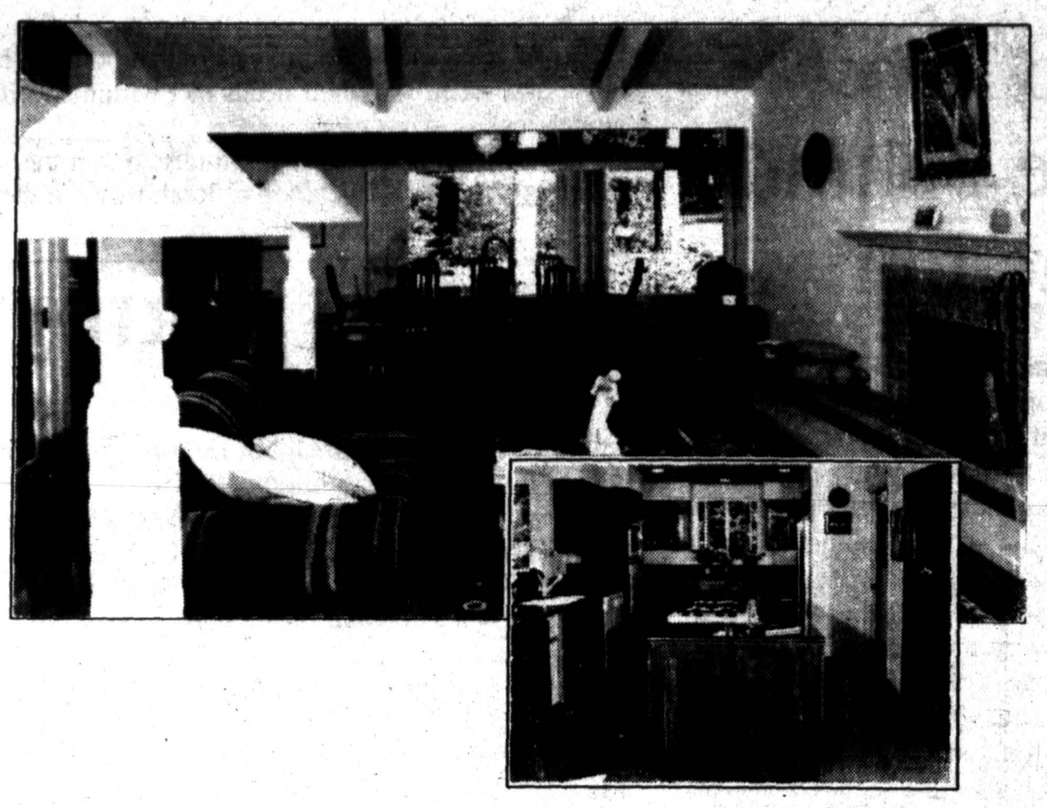

▲ There are many reasons to rave when viewing this Pebble Beach home — just some of the features are pictured above.

HOUSE OF THE WEEK

THIS PEBBLE Beach bargain is within walking distance to The Lodge at Pebble Beach, Spyglass Hill Golf Course and Robert Louis Stevenson School.

It's recently remodeled, including skylights, French doors, granite countertops, Saltillo tiles, hardwood floors and wall-to-wall carpets.

This week's featured home is light, airy, spacious and, at less than $800,000, a great buy.

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24702 Cabrillo, $389,000
Sat 2:30-4:30, Coldwell Banker

25633 Morse Dr, $380,000
Sat 1:30-3:30, Coldwell Banker

4000 Rio Rd #86, $235,000
Sat 2-4, Del Monte Realty

Lopez, 3 NW 3rd, $528,000
Sat 12-2, Del Monte Realty

3366 Taylor Rd, $399,000
Sun 1-4, Del Monte Realty

Scenic, 6 SE 10th, $1,950,000
Sun 1-4, Del Monte Realty

2559 14th Ave, $1,100,000
Sun 2-4, Del Monte Realty

CARMEL

2960 Santa Lucia, $1,225,000
Sun 1-4, Del Monte Realty

Carmelo, 2 SE 2nd, $859,000
Sun 1-3, Del Monte Realty

24773 Valley Way, $499,000
Sun 1-3, Del Monte Realty

2795 Ribera Rd, $505,000
Sun 1-3, Del Monte Realty

CARMEL HIGHLANDS

176 Mal Paso Rd, $1,395,000
sat 2-4, Del Monte Realty

CARMEL VALLEY

25200 Pine Hills Dr, $735,000
Sun 1-4, Coldwell Banker

8008 River Place, $710,000
Sun 1:30-3:30, Coldwell Banker

201 Los Laureles Grade Rd, $575,000
Sat 1:30-3:30, Del Monte Realty

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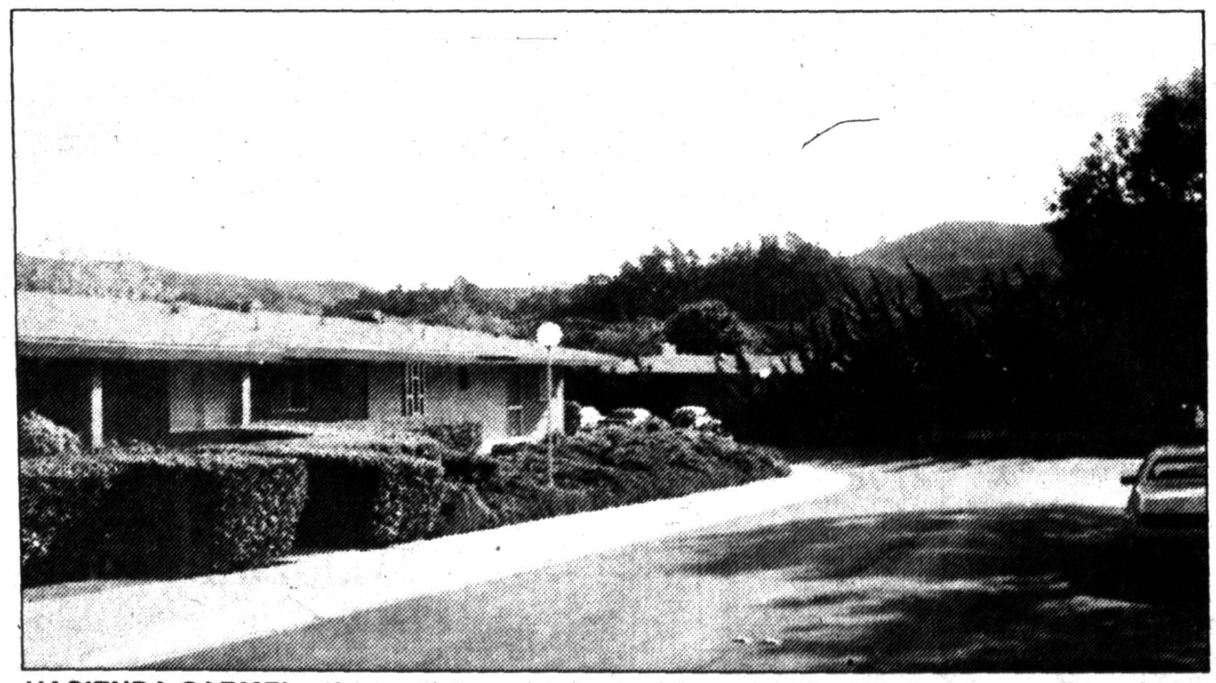
FEATURE HOME



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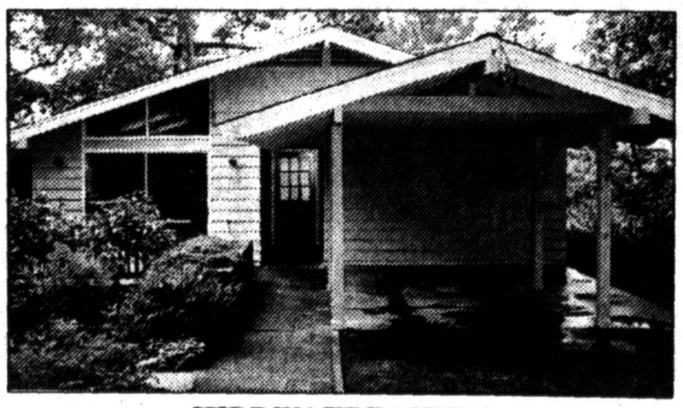

HIDDEN TREASURE

Walk to beach or town from this fabulously quiet location. Remodeled with extra large rooms, high ceilings, big windows, and a brand new, huge New-England style kitchen with brick fireplace. Three bedrooms, 2.5 baths, loads of storage. If you want style, size and location, this is it!! **$528,000.**

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AFFILIATES

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Typically, Affiliates keep a fairly low profile. Although some larger firms certainly promote themselves in the community, most put their energy in building relationships with the agents — their main customers.

This year, the Affiliate Committee, which traditionally has worked together to educate and support the agents, will focus instead on promoting themselves, as a whole, to the community.

Several ideas are being considered, including a plan that calls for the Affiliates to hold their own trade fairs. Here, buyers and sellers would be able to find out more about the Affiliates and how to make the vast real estate system, and all that goes along with it, work to their advantage.

Jeanette Menter's 'Realtor Link' column appears on an occasional basis in The Pine Cone. She can be contacted at 624-0162.

California Trends

By Bradley Inman

Will return next week.

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PEBBLE BEACH - ***Priced to Sell...***Interior update in process, 4 BR/3 Bth **$379,500**

MONTEREY - ***Exquisitely Remodeled...***3 BR/2 Bth in prestigious Deer Flats location! **$399,000**

PACIFIC GROVE - ***Stylish Remodel...***Spacious 1665 sq. ft. plus 250 sq. office and utility room **$399,500**

CARMEL - ***Best Buy...***Immaculate and spacious 3 BR/2 Bth, a master suite with peek of the ocean. Reduced! **$449,500**

PEBBLE BEACH - ***MP Country Club...***A short walk to the beach, 4 BR/4 Bth. Excellent Value! **$487,500**

CARMEL - ***"Jewel Box"...***New, custom 3 BR/2 BA home. Spectacular design and craftsmanship **$725,000**

CARMEL - ***Famous Remodeled...***Two story, 3 bed, 2 bath, south of Ocean Ave. Romantic Hideaway. Walk to town or beach. Absolutely delightful! A must see! **$725,000**

PEBBLE BEACH - ***Stately French Normandy...***Four bedrooms, four and a half baths, custom built, traditional floor plan. Private location, walk to Lodge . . . **$1,595,000**

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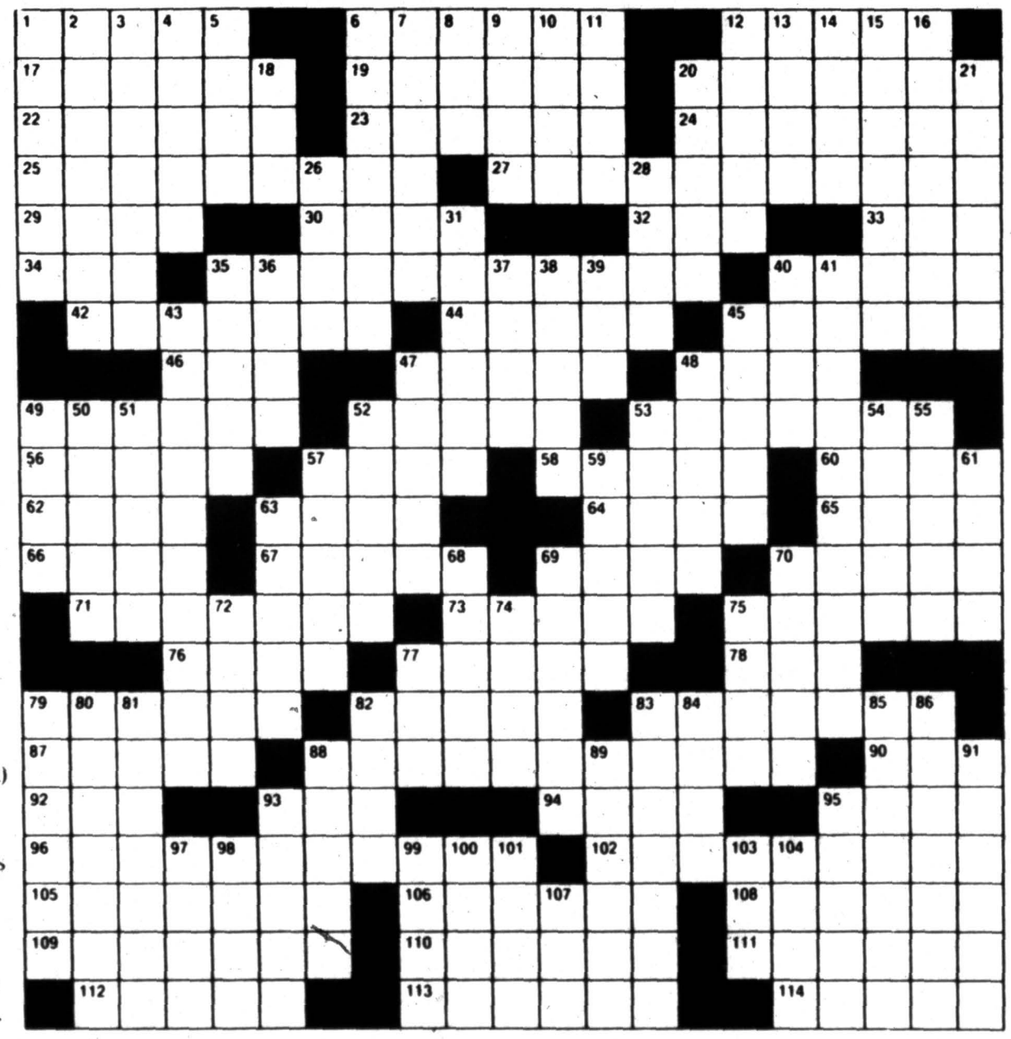

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Curious musical instruments please a packed audience

By LYN BRONSON

THE Mozart Society's previous concert was jam-packed, and now it has done it again. Its program last Friday, the Musica Curiosa Ensemble at the Church of Religious Science in Monterey, was standing room only with extra chairs in every possible place. And we saw a happy audience that hadn't had as much fun in a classical concert for a very long time.

The featured artist was Dennis James, a virtuoso on the glass harmonica, assisted by flutist Viviana Guzman, oboist Thomas Nugent, violinist Karen Bentley, cellist Vanessa Ruotolo and violists Ottavino Spinetto and Catherine Matovitch.

Glass harmonica? At first blush this sounds a bit peculiar, for in common parlance today a harmonica is a mouth organ with miniature reeds. But in the 18th century a fad developed of making musical sounds with a moistened finger creating friction around the rim of an ordinary drinking glass. By assembling a series of glasses and tuning them with varying amounts of water, you can create a charming musical instrument.

Our own Benjamin Franklin, during his time as Ambassador to France, observed this phenomenon and invented a machine which had glass bowls tuned to chromatic pitches and mounted on a rotating spindle which he called a "glass harmonica." This became a popular instrument that enjoyed a widespread vogue with composers of the period until the gradual extinction of the fad in approximately 1830.

Dennis James and his Musica Curiosa Ensemble presented a program of 10 selections by Mozart, one by Beethoven and one by Johann Baptist Vanhal. It was all charming fare, and the audience loved it. James added some fun, by having his assistants pass out musical glasses to members of the audience. Each glass had a color-coded dot. During one of the pieces, colored paddles held in the air signaled the color-coded performers in the audience to rub their glasses. It was a charming effect.

In addition to the glass harmonica and the trays of musical glasses, James also employed another interesting instrument called the "Dulcetone," a keyboard instrument similar to the celesta.

Among the outstanding performers of the evening was Viviana Guzman whose beautiful playing on a nine-caret gold transverse flute as well as on a crystal glass flute was superb. Oboist Thomas Nugent, a splendid young musician only appeared in two of the selections, but still made an excellent impression.

■ *Pianist and piano instructor Lyn Bronson lives in Carmel and produces the Keyboard Artist Series at Sunset Theater.*

'Heart of the West': offbeat treat

By JAMES P. KINNEY

AN EVENING of deliciously offbeat live theater awaits local playgoers with the unpretentious arrival of "Heart of the West" at MPC's SRO Theatre.

Over the years our intimate local venue has surprised and delighted audiences with excellent student-directed and experimental offerings suitable to its comfortable dimensions. "Our Country's Good" (directed by the late, deeply admired Nick Zanides) and "The Dining Room" are just two of the memorable plays experienced there in recent years.

"Heart of the West," a theatrical adaption by local actor Jose Lambert of six O. Henry short stories from the writer's book of the same name, contains the same elements of humor, keen-sighted social comment, character coincidence and bittersweet endings found in the celebrated writer's best work.

Although Lambert modestly dismisses his adaptation as mere "readers' theater," this critic found it far more complex than that. There were no hand-held scripts. The lighting design, by Joseph H. Bryant IV, was complete and at times stunningly effective. And a team of seven gifted veteran local actors were given the chance to play roles widely divergent in character, emotion and ethnic accent.

In successive scenes, an actress could play a mourning widow, a seductive senorita, a despairing waif, the doting mother of a worthless son.

Likewise, a male actor might be challenged to deliver a coldhearted gunman, a loose-lipped braggart, a smitten lawman or an ill-equipped dandy. What more could energetic, flexible performers ask from an evening before an eager live audience? And do they shine!

The evening is bracketed by adaptor/actor Lambert. In formal Mexican dress (black suit, sombrero, string tie), he introduces his cast and La Banda Mariachi de San Antonio (Celestino Ballesteros, Rolando Mejia, Leonel Mata and Theresa Hruby-Percell), who together infuse a lively Tex-Mex flavor into the evening's entertainment.

Lambert also serves as a kind of roving narrator, much like the Stage Manager in Wilder's "Our Town," at times commenting on the action, at times an elegant, bemused observer.

I found the first scene, "Hearts and Crosses," the only somewhat flawed of the half-dozen which made up the bill. It seemed slightly out-of-focus, its motivations not entirely clear, although its happy ending was convincing enough. Or was it me — at the start of a recommended book not quite into the world an author is trying to create?

What it did convey at once, however, was the overall vitality of the actors and the effective use of unique lines moving from first to third person — an actor commenting directly to the audience, then easily engaging another actor in first person dialogue. This technique, confusing at first, was essential for the rest of the evening. Lambert deserves credit for effectively using this dramatic tool by his selective editing of O. Henry's written words.

High comic gear

By the second scene, "Telemaackus and Friend," we were into high comic gear. An incredibly generous bachelor (Peter M. Eberhardt) refuses to exclude his seedy friend (Thomas Burks) from their parallel attempts to woo a luscious, more-than-willing widow (Jennifer Lister). All three exploit the humor of this comic menage-a-trois to the hilt, of course, with Lister awarded high style points for hilarious expression.

With the third scene, "The Kid," the mood turns menacing as a soulless frontier killer, with "the quickest draw in the territory" and a singing voice that resembles "a coyote with bronchitis," finds out his wistful, lovely Mexican chicita (Jennifer Muniz) has a wandering eye for a strong, decent lawman (Peter Reynolds).

"Hold amor tightly," philosopher Lambert whispers to a vulnerable audience. "Or like a little bird it will struggle to break away." Tension builds as surely as in one of the great short Italian operas (Pagliacci? Cavallero Rusticana?) careening to its tragic climax.

After intermission, in which young Rolando Mejia sang Spanish romantic songs in a clean, clear tenor, Lambert reappears to introduce the second set of scenes.

In "The Chaparral Prince," desperadoes Reynolds and Burke, during the process of executing professional duties, learn from Eberhardt, driver of a stagecoach they are robbing, that a desperate, distressed waif (Lavelle S. Brown) is trying to send a letter to her mother (Lister). How they solve the dilemma adds luster to their lives. Brown's portrayal of the 11-year-old waif is absolutely riveting.

Suffice it here to say that the evening's final two scenes, "The Indian Summer of Dry Valley Johnson" and "The Reformation of Calliope" also confirm O. Henry's reputation as a writer of real emotion and the wisdom of bringing this work here, now, to a receptive local stage.

■ *Monterey Peninsula resident James Kinney is a teacher, writer, actor and singer.*

PLUGGED IN...

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live local talent, celebrating and promoting independent CD releases.

At Chevy's, where manager *Chris Macdevitt* and promoter **Gary Hamada** of Imagine Enterprises intend to showcase live music on at least a bimonthly basis, a double billing is slated for Friday featuring Santa Cruz-based band **Big Rain** and Big Sur/Monterey-based "world funk groove" band **Unshakeable Race**.

Big Rain, a self-described "tropical funk" trio, celebrates the release of their debut CD, *Sound of Freedom*. The trio plays an easy-listening collage of musical styles that includes blues, pop and funk. Comprised of mostly original music Big Rain's sound is soulful, "spontaneous and guaranteed to make you move." Although Unshakable Race does not have a new current CD release, the popular local band will be giving away copies of their previous release, *Serial Survivors*. According to band founder **"Unshakable Rob" London**, "We want more local people to be aware of the fact that we are recording artists." Could the addition of new talented groups like Big Rain and Unshakeable Race to the area, and the addition of venues that allow these groups to "showcase", be harbingers of a music scene on the rise? Friday's concert begins at 9 p.m. $10 admission includes two bands and a free CD.

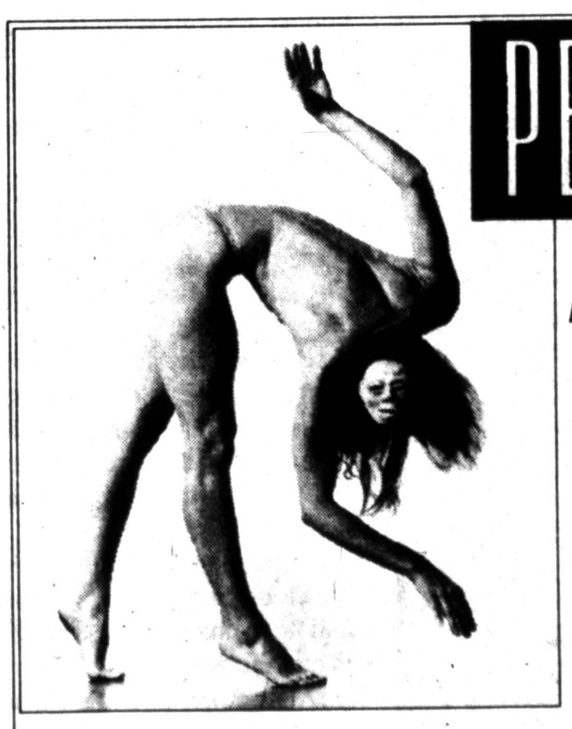
On Saturday night, local musician **Nick Williams** celebrates the release of his new album, *Love Notes from Carmel*, at the Jazz Store. Williams, a native of the Monterey Peninsula and a long time local music establishment, is known for his ability to perform skillfully on a wide variety of musical instruments. His latest project was recorded at On Track Recording studios in Monterey. Although Williams performed on all of the album's tracks he will be joined this Saturday by an an impressive cast of musicians including **Dick Whittington** on piano, **Mark Hamersly** on bass, and **Steve Robertson** on drums. "A night of romantic jazz standards for relaxation and fun." Tickets are $20 at the door. Inquiries: 626-9151.

Also on tap at the Jazz Store on Saturday, March 8 the **Babatunde Quartet** featuring percussionist Babatunde, pianist Spencer Allen, bassist Derek Jones, and Richard Howell on tenor and soprano saxophones. Inspired at an early age by the aforementioned Olatunji, the younger Babatunde, has nurtured his own diverse and eclectic career as percussionist and ethnomusicologist. Having performed with the likes of Pharoah Sanders, McCoy Tyner and Van Morrison, Babatunde explores a wide spectrum of music (jazz, Afro-Cuban, Afro-Brazilian, soca, hip-hop...) all sharing their roots in their African origin. Information:624-6432.

Boz Scaggs plays the Doubletree

This just in from promoter Peter Fields of Santa Cruz Concerts: The **Boz (Scaggs**, that is) will perform with his "rhythm and blues revue" and special guests on Saturday, March 16th at the Doubletree Hotel's De Anza Ballroom. Scaggs, a former Steve Miller sideman and ultimately recognized as a premier rock 'n' roll talent (with the release of the multi-platinum album Silk Degrees), will perform selections from his upcoming Virgin release as well as perennial favorites such as "Running Blue" and "Loan Me a Dime". Tickets are now available at all BASS outlets; $25 in advance.

Also just announced; a benefit concert is to be held at **Doc's Nightclub** on Sunday March 9 from 5 to 9 p.m. for local sax man Michael O'Reilly. An all-star cast of local musicians will perform. Call 384-2609 for more information. More details to follow.



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Peninsula welcomes back Panettas in grand style

Carmelites John and Mary Robotti didn't mind the half-hour wait in line to greet Leon Panetta at a reception honoring the former U.S. Congressman and White House Chief of Staff.

State Sen. Bruce McPherson, R-Santa Cruz, greets Sylvia and Leon Panetta during the 'Welcome Home Reception' last Saturday afternoon at the Monterey Conference Center.

'I'm home . . . You will probably see a lot of me and Sylvia'

Social Spotlight

By Dodie Barkley

IN ANCIENT Rome, returning heroes and generals paraded through the city in golden chariots, while the population stood by cheering.

Saturday's welcome home party given by the City of Monterey for former White House Chief of Staff Leon Panetta and his wife, Sylvia, and their families at the Monterey Conference Center was just as spectacular.

Admiration is still there for the popular hometown politician. His friends and fans came in droves, *waiting in line, inside and outside,* sometimes as long as 30 minutes just to shake his hand.

Inside the center, committee people had decorated the stage with a huge American flag that stretched from one end of the stage to the other, reminding us of that powerful scene from the movie, "Patton," when Gen. Patton, played by George C. Scott, addressed his troops.

After Rep. Sam Farr, D-Carmel, spoke of Panetta's 20-plus years of accomplishments in Washington, Panetta stepped up to the podium.

Thanking the crowd for their support, friendship and prayers while he was in the nation's capital, he quipped, "For those of you who still pray, I really didn't want the job of Chief of Staff. I was perfectly happy in the role of budget and finance director there, but when the Administration (President Clinton) said he needed me, I took on the responsibility. It was hard work, but we managed to get the team working again. It was a job worth doing!"

In a scene reminiscent of 'Patton,' Leon and Sylvia Panetta stood proudly in front of a large American flag as they addressed friends and admirers.

When questioned about the possibility of running for governor of California in 1998, Panetta remarked that some might question his level of sanity, considering he just left one fire, only to contemplate jumping into another.

On this day, no bold announcements were made. But many of those in the audience will keep their fingers crossed that the Carmel Valley resident soon formally sets his sights on the seat in Sacramento.

Panetta, who was instrumental in the acquisition of land for the California State University, Monterey Bay site, and also in bringing about the Monterey Bay Marine Sanctuary, reminded everyone how beautiful this area is, and how much he missed "home" while he was at the White House.

At one point he told the audience that he and his wife will be celebrating their 35th wedding anniversary July 19. A roar of laughter followed when Sylvia gently reminded him that the date is July 14.

"I'm home," reiterated Leon. "You will probably see a lot of me and Sylvia. You will see us in church, you will see us on the beach, on the sidewalks of Alvarado Street, and we will meet and we will talk. I'm glad to be home!"

When he finished speaking, Farr presented him with a stack of commendations and certificates from Congress, and Monterey Mayor Dan Albert presented the Panettas with a large poster framed in glass. Inside it was a huge golden key, surrounded by logos from all the cities of the Peninsula.

Welcome home Leon. Welcome home, indeed, for a job well done!

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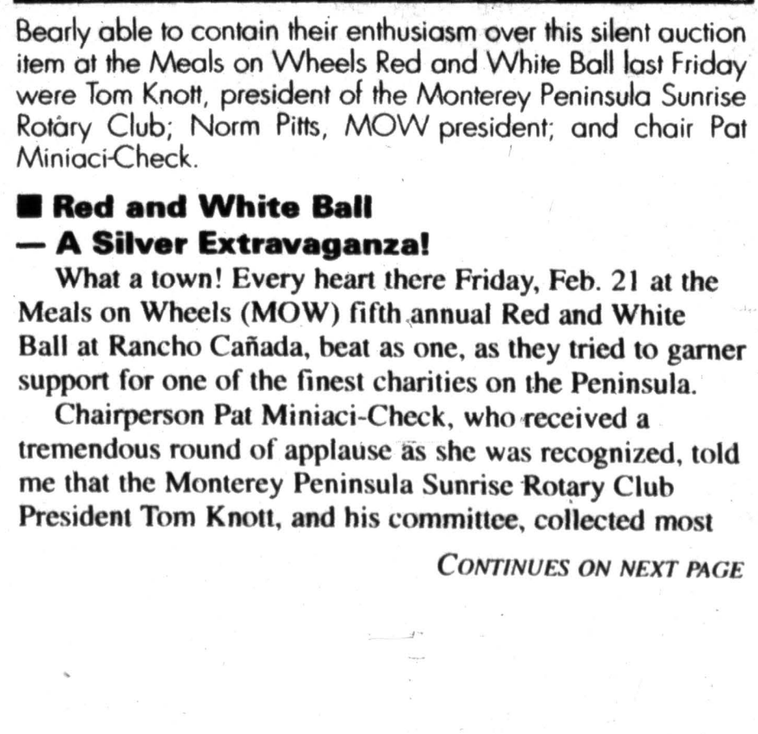
Panetta was glad to see his longtime friend and supporter, Ruthie Watts, a pillar in the Seaside community.



Bearly able to contain their enthusiasm over this silent auction item at the Meals on Wheels Red and White Ball last Friday were Tom Knott, president of the Monterey Peninsula Sunrise Rotary Club; Norm Pitts, MOW president; and chair Pat Miniaci-Check.

■ Red and White Ball — A Silver Extravaganza!

What a town! Every heart there Friday, Feb. 21 at the Meals on Wheels (MOW) fifth annual Red and White Ball at Rancho Cañada, beat as one, as they tried to garner support for one of the finest charities on the Peninsula.

Chairperson Pat Miniaci-Check, who received a tremendous round of applause as she was recognized, told me that the Monterey Peninsula Sunrise Rotary Club President Tom Knott, and his committee, collected most

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of the items for the auctions. And what a job they did!

There were more than 120 items, including trips to Colorado, Hawaii and Cabo San Lucas; green fees for two at prestigious golf courses; fabulous jewelry

Peter DeVries, auctioneer and Irene Crispo, founder of MOW Auxiliary, enjoyed the Red and White Ball at Rancho Cañada benefitting Meals on Wheels.

and silver items; a $500 gift certificate for architectural services; facials; pedicures; and many other attractive items.

A live auction package — dinner and libations for 30 guests, valued at $1,500, went for a whopping $2,400. It was that kind of evening!

The Mike Marotta band kept people on their toes, dancing everything from the old '40s lindy-hop to the modern-day craze, the macarena.

Among the more than 200 guests, I spotted regal-looking Irene Crispo, the founder of the MOW auxiliary; Al and Von Rilling, Grace Ashby, Mike and Audrey McCarthy, Gloria Costa and Mario Pacini, Morley Brown and Ron Weitzman and Barney and Eleanor Laiolo.

Meals on Wheels President Norm Pitts noted that the organization is celebrating its silver anniversary.

It's ever so clear that Sally Judd Griffin's dream of helping needy seniors has materialized. MOW now serves 17,000 meals a month to senior, as well as a full luncheon five days a week at the Sally Judd Griffin Senior Center in Pacific Grove.

For more information about Meals on Wheels, you can call the center at 375-4454.

■ Jekel Vineyards' first vintner dinner at Quail Lodge

Presidential wines revisited! And what better way to have a taste of them then on Presidents Day Monday, Feb. 17 at the prestigious Quail Lodge.

Two of the best Jekel Wines — 1995 Gravelstone Chardonnay and 1992 Sanctuary Estate Red Meritage — were the official wines exclusively served at President Clinton's inaugural committee galas in Washington, D.C.

Albert Cross, Bobbie Picha, Bob Picha and Shirley Cross enjoy the pre-dinner wines at the Jekel Vinyards and Quail Lodge vintner's dinner held Monday, Feb. 17 at The Golf Club at Quail Lodge.

"Actually, according to Jekel Vineyards winemaker Dave Paige, this is the second time that Jekel wines were chosen for a president's inauguration — the first time was for Clinton in 1993.

I am not a wine connoisseur, but I can remember choosing Jekel Chardonnay out of 23 Chardonnays offered at a wine-tasting event on Cannery Row several years ago. That is also one of the reasons why I attended the dinner. I wanted to see if Jekel Chardonnay was still tops. I found it to be even better than I had remembered. It has a delightful fruity taste.

Paige explains the taste as being crisp and versatile, remarking that it can be served with many different types of food.

Winemaker Paige and Bob Williamson, executive chef at Quail Lodge, teamed to host the first in a series of vintner's dinners.

Starting in the Fairway Room at the Golf Club, with wine tasting and hors d'ouevres, we progressed to a four-course dinner with four Jekel wines: Chardonnay 1995; Pinot Noir 1994; Red Meritage 1992 and Jekel Late Harvest 1996. Seated with us were Ed Haber, Paige and Michael B. Hoffman, general manager of Quail Lodge.

Quail Lodge General Manager Michael B. Hoffman, former CEO Ed Haber, Executive Chef Bob Williamson and Winemaker Dave Paige ensured there was plenty of fine wine for the vintner's dinner in Carmel Valley.

Did you know that Ed Haber is a third-generation Californian from San Francisco, and that his father was a winemaker? His great-grandfather brought original vine cuttings from Hungary, which were grafted onto existing grape vines.

Kudos to Chef Williamson for the simply divine dinner of roasted winter vegetables, medallions of salmon, peppered venison loin. A light and delicious berry dessert followed.

The next vintner's dinner is scheduled for March with Smith & Hook Winery being featured. For more information, call 375-1747.

Dodie Barkley's 'Social Spotlight' column appears every week in Peninsula. If you have news of social activities, contact Dodie at 626-0514 or write to her in care of Peninsula, P.O. Box G-1, Carmel 93921.

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First-time director tackles Shakespeare with some success

By MARK SHILSTONE-LAURENT

YOU'D THINK a first-time director would choose to cut his teeth on a simple little two-character, single set play like, for instance, Edward Albee's "Zoo Story." But then, most first-time directors don't have a steel blue mohawk and a bunch of earrings.

Instead of treading water in the shallow end of the pool, director Eric Maximoff has taken a flying leap off of the high board by choosing Shakespeare's "Twelfth Night" for his directoral debut. That's like skipping simple addition and demanding of your third grade teacher, "Come on, babe, bring on the calculus!"

Happily, the result is that in addition to scoring points for raw courage, Maximoff deserves credit for putting together what amounts to a bright and pleasant production of one of Shakespeare's most beloved comedies.

Sure, there are some bumpy spots directorally, but overall Maximoff should now feel free to go ahead and buy himself one of those neat chairs with DIRECTOR written across the back. The production runs through March 22nd at The Hoffman Playhouse in New Monterey, the current home of Unicorn Theatre.

As with most large cast shows at Unicorn, the talent level ranges from, "Hey! That guy is really good!" to "Well, with a little more experience they'll get better." But there are enough of the former in some of the show's key roles to keep an audience happy.

The plot of "Twelfth Night" is a bit convoluted — one of The Bard's hidden identity "I'm not really who you think I am" scams. It basically revolves around a shipwrecked woman, Viola (Suzanne Schrag), who disguises herself as a man, Cesario. He/she is then employed by the lovesick Duke, Orsino (Garland Thompson), to woo his heartthrob, the Countess Olivia (Nadja Mark).

Of course, Viola/Cesario falls in love with the Duke and of course Olivia falls for Viola/Cesario. Around this little mess dance some of Shakespeare's most memorable supporting characters: Sir Toby Belch (Fred Nielson), Sir Andrew Aguecheek (Jody Gilmore), Feste the Fool (Cindy Womack), and the wonderfully flawed and foolish Malvolio (Robert Coulter). As with all of Shakespeare's "disguised identity" plays, you need to bring along a healthy dose of suspension of disbelief and just focus on the fun and foolishness.

Getting more specific as regards Maximoff's direction, on the plus side he keeps the piece clipping along at a brisk pace and his "stage pictures" are fluid and varied. But there are a couple of pretty big pieces of this silly puzzle that Maximoff has overlooked.

The 'Twelfth Night' cast features from left, Robert Coulter, Jody Gilmore, Cindy Womack and Fred Nielson.

The first is the lack of underlying bawdiness and sexuality in the character of Maria (Gabrielle Minor). Maria is Olivia's chambermaid and spends most of her scenes plotting and cavorting with the play's other comic characters, Toby Belch, Andrew Aguecheek and Feste the Fool.

For the most part, Minor does a wonderful job with Maria — she handles the language well and has great focus and energy. Maria's banter with Toby and Sir Andrew, especially in their first scene together, is laced with double entendres and sexual overtones. But for some reason, Maximoff and Minor avoid playing with this element.

It's a tribute to Minor that she does such a nice job of bringing Maria to life without playing up the passion and the bawdiness most actresses count on when playing her. But frankly, the part plays better and is more engaging with a healthy dose of high comic sexuality.

Similarly, a major element of the Malvolio character is noticeably missing. Malvolio, a steward in Olivia's household, becomes the butt of a hoax that can only work because he is one of the most obnoxious, self-absorbed characters you could meet. Coulter certainly hits the haughty, looking down my nose at the entire world element.

But Malvolio would be looking down his nose as much just to catch a glimpse of part of his own wonderful self. It's this narcissistic self love that Coulter and Maximoff have missed. Frankly, we see a little too much of Scrooge, a role Coulter has played for the last eight years. Since the entire hoax revolves around his passionate affair with himself, the comedy is weakened if that element is missing.

Putting these few considerations aside, it's a fun evening of theater that will probably get tighter and tighter as the run continues. Some of the performances are quite strong — Jody Gilmore is an absolute hoot as Sir Andrew and Schrag sparkles as Viola — and the cast and Maximoff have done their homework in terms of making sure they know exactly what they are saying, thereby making it easy for us to follow along.

This is without a doubt one of Shakespeare's finest comedies and Maximoff and The Unicorn Theatre provide a solid rendering. Check it out.

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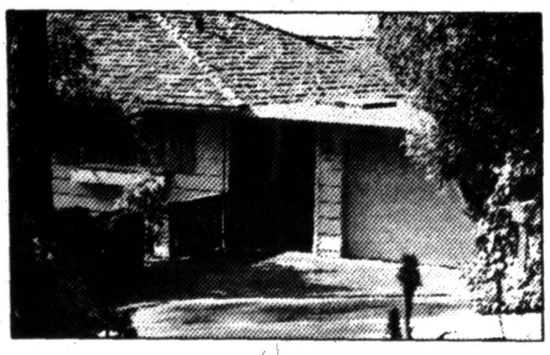

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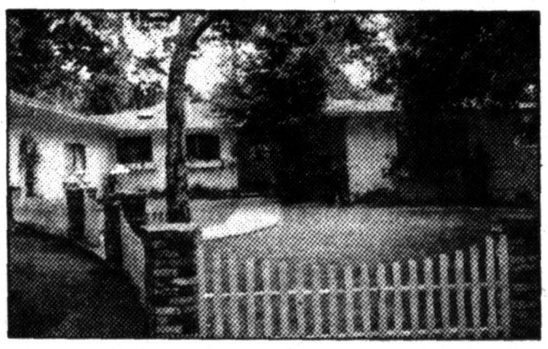

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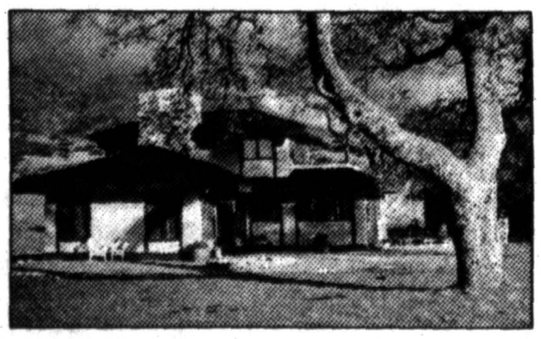

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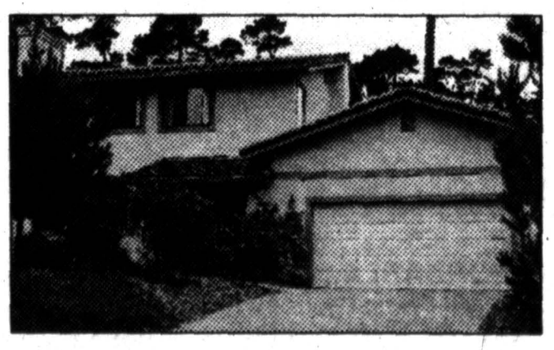

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This cotton and silk "Big Diamond" tunic is designed by Kaffe Fassett in Picasso circus colors.

DAVID CRIPPS PHOTO

Kaffe Fassett grew up in Big Sur and now enjoys an international reputation as a designer of wearable art.

The Fassett Fashion Show

By Sue Barton

FASHION IS fluid both by nature and definition. Every designer of women's clothing, with the exception of Coco Chanel, has relied on this element to earn a livelihood. Skirts, short one year, fall by a yard or more the next, and rise the following season to greater heights.

Radical changes are desirable economically. Uniform style would result in women using the same articles of clothing until they actually wear out. Many people do. But here we're talking FASHION as seen in the pages of magazines.

Still, there are those women, many of whom appear on the "Best Dressed" lists, who do not heed these fickle dictates, whose closets abound in "classic" clothes. They are considered "elegant," selecting the serious simplicity of Chanel as opposed to Christian La Croix's outrageously beautiful concoctions. Audrey Hepburn meets Elizabeth Taylor.

For those who take this seriously, there is yet another category. Here fall the glorious designs of Big Sur's Kaffe Fassett. His creations are best described as "Wearable Art," for his sweaters, coats, needlepointed slippers and tapestried vests, which he now designs in his London studio, grace some of the most

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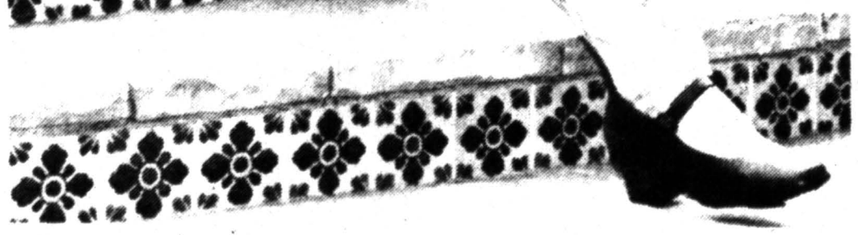

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Even legs sport fashion-forward look in designs from Sockshop Carmel

Even on a cloudy day your legs can blossom with spring flowers. Visit **Sockshop Carmel** and see what's new for spring: bright colors for women, such as oranges and yellows, as well as pastels.

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Children will have fun wearing all the new brights as well as socks with their beloved farm animals, teddy bears, racing cars and tools. And everyone in the family can appreciate machine washable slippers that are really like walking on pillows.

Men's socks aren't boring anymore. Golfers will discover designs that incorporate amusing statements related to the game: these make fun gifts. Surprise the man in your life with novelty socks: featuring bowling pins, sushi, flags, musical notes, grapes and more.

Sockshop Carmel is also home to men's silk and handpainted ties, umbrellas and Hue Bodywear.

Sockshop Carmel is located on the fountain level of Carmel Plaza. Come in and prepare to be inspired. It's open 10 to 6 daily. Call 624-5909.

Printed tights and intricately patterned socks always catch the eye. At Sockshop Carmel, tights include geometrics, fruit prints, a camouflage style and a design that looks like stained glass window chips called "Mosaic."

If you haven't been to catherine's, treat yourself to a shopping experience where the clothes are unique and the service is unsurpassed!

catherine's boutique: the secret of many well-dressed women

As usual, things are changing at **catherine's** in downtown Monterey. The atmosphere is always relaxed, casual and fun. But the clothes, jewelry and accessories are always on the move!

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The whole idea behind the boutique is to have quality, classic styles in SMALL quantities. This is to ensure that your look is as individual as you are. No one wants to spend money on clothes that make them blend into the crowd.

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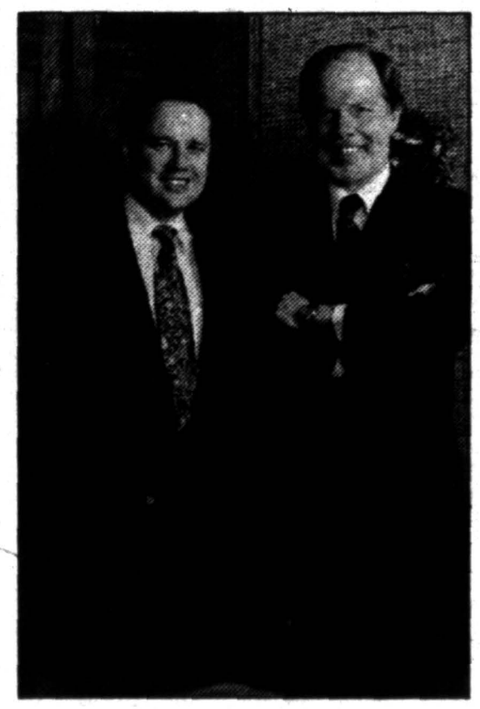

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R.S. Suzuki Jewelers was founded by Ray Suzuki, who still oversees the family business and makes watches at the Alvarado Street store.

The philosophy here is service-oriented and prideful. The staff will go out of its way to see that you are satisfied with your purchase.

According to store manager Stewart Suzuki, an extensive collection of wedding sets, jewels and watches has been assembled. Very popular and dependable are the watches by Seiko and Tag Heuer, for example. Both notable lines are featured at Suzuki Jewelers.

If you desire to make a gift of jewelry, the shop can accommodate you with such colored stones as amethysts, rubies, sapphires, and some unusual pearl pieces. An exclusive line of jewelry from Spain can be viewed, called Carrera y Carrera. The shop also carries Chatham Emeralds, made up in rings and pendants.

Custom designs can be made to your specifications, and the store can also remount your older or damaged jewelry.

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Fassett clan shares a gift for glorious color and design

FROM THE COVER

splendidly arrayed women and men in the world. They are even featured at London's Victoria and Albert Museum.

Fassett grew up at Nepenthe, the South Coast restaurant and gathering place built by his parents, Lolly and Bill.

As a child and through his teen-age years, wherever Kaffe looked he saw beauty of place and color. The heathery purples of the land are lit by the reflections of the blues, greens and grays of the sea, and in spring these somber tones are brushed with wildflower patches of pink, orange, blue and yellow.

In response to all this natural beauty, Kaffe's first paintings were white on white oils of tabletops covered in crockery. He was, however, surrounded by his family, all of whom drew inspiration for their talents from the landscape.

In addition to his mother Lolly's knitting expertise, both Archie Hess and Lewis Perkin, longtime employees at Nepenthe, were knitters, and Kaffe's sister, Holly, says "Kaffe never felt knitting was something men didn't do. We were isolated here and there was no TV. Everybody knitted. Cooks, waiters and neighbors contributed yarn to what we called 'dump sweaters.' They were very colorful."

Diamonds and 'houses' form the patterned bases for these Kaffe Fassett sweaters.

On to London

After a year studying painting at Boston's Museum of Fine Arts, Kaffe moved to London in 1964. Still concentrating on painting and drawing, by 1968 he had become intrigued by the possibilities of knitting and needlework.

He quickly became established in the English fashion world with designs for the collections of Bill Gibb and Missoni. *British Vogue, The Times of London* and *English House and Garden* were some of the publications in which his work appeared. Before long he began creating needlepoint and knitting kits which cultivated an international audience for his art.

Currently, Kaffe lectures worldwide and is the subject of a TV and video series in England called "Glorious Colour."

His books, popular in the U.S. and Britain, include "Glorious Color," Glorious Needlepoint," Glorious Knits," "Glorious Inspiration" and "Family Album." The latter consists of photographs shot in Big Sur using the Fassett family, and their husbands, wives and children as models.

A new book, "Patches," will be available in the United States shortly.

Of Kaffe, *The New York Times* said "...his knitting and needlepoint designs reverberate with luxuriant and often surprising color." Booklist continues, "Fassett has firmly established himself as the single most exciting craft-and-color expert today."

But all this is just so much talk.

> ***"Working with color is not an intellectual game. You should see what the heart feels, that way you will experience more and more personal excitement in your work. Remember how joyous it is to arrange garden flowers, then gather a bouquet of yarns that 'sing.'"***
>
> ***— Kaffe Fassett***

Words cannot convey the intensity and beauty of Kaffe's work. The books, with exquisite photographs by Steve Lovi, do him justice, oddly, the videotapes rather less so. It no doubt has something to do with the color quality of the tapes as Kaffe himself is charming, handsome and soft-spoken, encouraging everyone to see how creative they can be.

The Phoenix Shop at Nepenthe in Big Sur is a local source for the prospective owner of one of his sweaters or a needlework kit. Also on view in the shop is a chaise longue covered in Kaffe's needlepoint in a shell pattern. Nearby are small tins and a serving tray in the same style.

Holly, who with her son Kirk , now manages Nepenthe, has followed in her illustrious older brother's footsteps. She is a highly original plein-air painter and has become a master knitter. Various examples of Holly's craft, including a fabulous pair of socks, are displayed at The Phoenix.

Kaffe says, "Working with color is not an intellectual game. You should see what the heart feels, that way you will experience more and more personal excitement in your work. Remember how joyous it is to arrange garden flowers, then gather a bouquet of yarns that 'sing.' "

He continues, "Any flower or butterfly wing or piece of marble contains many subtle shades of each color which are continually revealed as you look more closely into them. My own art training was less than a year."

He neglects to say that not everyone has the great good fortune to have lived in Big Sur with a remarkable family. ❦

❦ *Pacific Grove resident Sue Barton is a freelance writer who is working on a book of essays, tentatively titled 'Of Cats and Men,' in her spare time.*

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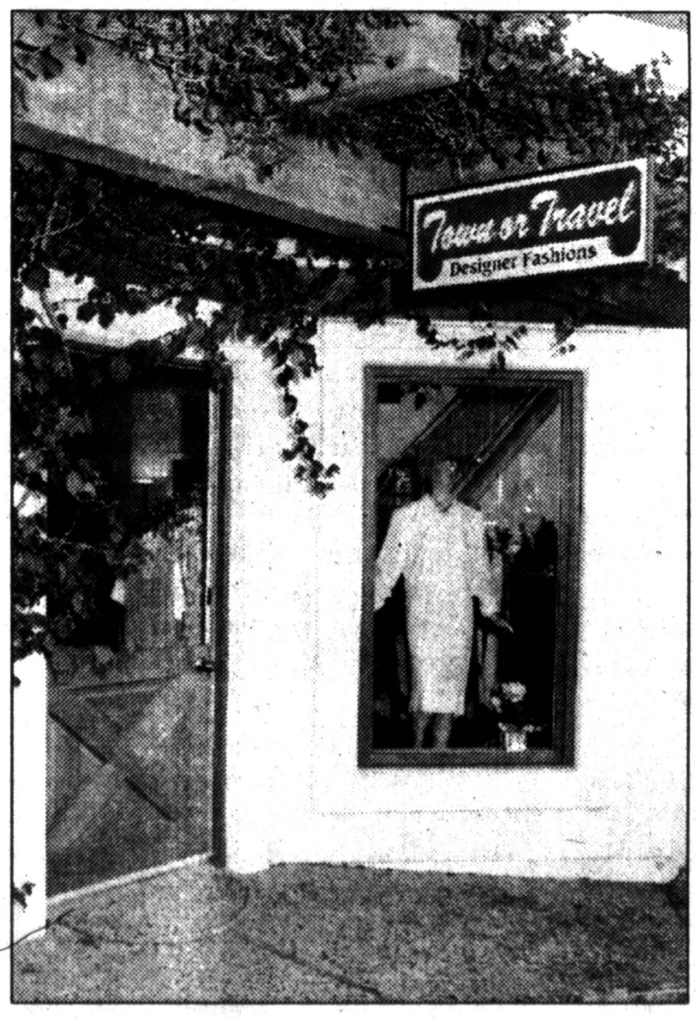
Spring has arrived at Town or Travel Designer Fashions

There's much to see at **Town or Travel Designer Fashions**, home to comfortable styles for travel, career and golf.

Featured now are poly/cotton knit separates from Bleyle, in shades of blue, khaki, cream, green, navy, red and white. Leon Levin creates poly/cotton coordinates in jade, royal, lemon, navy, bright pink, plus khaki and white.

David Brooks and Robert Scott are represented via jacket and pants, white linen blazers, seersucker novelty shirts, denim and cover-ups.



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From Sea Waves comes swimwear in an assortment of tasteful styles, in sizes 8 to 20.

Great fitting pants in twill are carried year-round. They're by Lily's of Beverly Hills. Bermuda shorts are in, also.

Pringle cashmere and Ballantyne merino sweaters are in stock year-round. Provincial prints from Vera Bradley are to be found in totes, handbags and clutch purses, all reasonably priced. The Vera Bradley line extends to single and double eyeglass cases. The store carries dresses in new prints from Schrader, in sizes 4 to 16 petite and 8 to 18 misses.

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Chatterbaux Children's Shoppe shows both new and gently used inventory

An old-fashioned "general store" for families, **Chatterbaux Children's Shoppe** carries an eclectic inventory of goods. Located between Lighthouse and Central at 157 Fountain in Pacific Grove, the store is a great place to visit — if only to chat and pet "Mr. McGee," the rabbit.

Ginny Brown, the owner, is proud to announce that Chatterbaux is now an authorized dealership for the Girl Scout Council as well as the Little Tykes toy company. She also is the local distributor for Emmaljunga Swedish strollers, Avent nursing nursing supplies and Boppy pillows.

The clothing racks carry an incredible array of styles from exclusive boutiques throughout the country, as well as Europe and Japan. Sizes range from newborn through high school formalwear and suit coats as well as maternity wear.

The children's furniture department has a large selection of cribs, cradles, changing tables, swings and accessories including beautiful matching Italian Bellini dressers and cribs.

Chatterbaux Children's Shoppe has extended its store hours to include a special two-hour "rush hour," with 20 percent off from 5 to 7 p.m. every Thursday. Regular hours are 10 to 5 Monday through Friday and 11 to 3 Saturday, closed Sunday. Call 647-8701.

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As an Aveda Concept Salon, The March Hare makes use of the complete line of Aveda products. Owner MaryAnna is an Aveda Purefessional, a trained educator who travels the United States to instruct others in the Aveda way.

Caring for the individual is what sets the March Hare apart. A visit to the salon is a trip to an oasis from stress. Big windows face Mission and Fifth streets in Carmel, offering a view of pine trees, ferns and bougainvillea. The waiting area offers shelves of scented oils, aromatic fragrances and lotions — as well as aromatherapy candles — for the client to enjoy. You'll be offered a cup of Comforting Tea. Each client receives a complimentary aromatherapy scalp massage before their service.

In addition to MaryAnna, the talented team includes Diana, Christina, Alicia and Maryjane.

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The Quill Fine Papers and Calligraphy serves wedding parties

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The shop is located at 217 Grand Ave. Its collections of fine stationery and writing instruments are a joy to behold.

In preparation for weddings, Mefford guides couples through selecting, ordering and even addressing invitations. According to the wishes and tastes of the couple, she can custom design wedding stationery in any style. Envelopes may even be hand addressed in calligraphy.

The Quill Fine Papers and Calligraphy is also a useful resource for wedding gifts. A complete selection of guest books, photo albums and wedding planning books and journals are kept in stock. Lucky people on your gift list will appreciate the leather planning and address books, glass pens from Italy, and Tops Malibu "Good Fortune" candles.

Mefford, a self-described "paper fanatic," can also custom create business and personal stationery, invitations for all occasions, and even unforgettable Christmas cards.

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Couture workmanship evident in Designs by Ericka

To obtain couture workmanship in a custom-designed gown, many people are under the mistaken impression that they must travel to New York or San Francisco. **Designs by Ericka**, located in Carmel, combines inspired creativity and couture execution.

At her shop at 3855 Via Nona Marie in Carmel, Ericka Engelman specializes in custom dress making, emphasizing bridal, mother of the bride and business and formal suits. Whether the design calls for an intricate boned bodice or a row of silken button loops, the finishing will be of first quality.

Her team is also adept at alterations, from simple requests like changing a zipper to elaborate wedding gown refitting. For example, many brides elect to wear their mother's gowns. Designs by Ericka will carry out this transformation.

"People usually come to us with their ideas, and they've shopped around. But something isn't quite right at the ready-made salons," she says.

Designs by Ericka will supply a sketch, determine the cost of materials, and usually find the fabric for the client, no matter how rare it is. Ericka suggests that clients allow as much lead time as possible to ensure the gown will be produced to their exact specifications. And the completed dress will be of a higher quality than most ready-made gowns.

With help from Designs by Ericka, creating a gown from concept to wedding day-ready can be a very rewarding experience.

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For information about dressmaking at Designs by Ericka, call 624-3442.

LET THERE BE MUSIC ON THIS DAY OF DAYS

By LOTTE MENDELSOHN

MANY OF US have grown up with the oft-repeated quote from friends and relatives, "I'll dance at your wedding."

Today, the music for the occasion is usually on tape or CDs that are manipulated by a savvy technician/deejay. For those to whom no wedding is memorable without several hours of high-decibel cavorting, that suffices. But let's go a step further ... LIVE music. Before you bridle at the supposed cost, you'll often find that live costs less than what many deejay services charge. Let's explore the event music scene.

Special occasions require a bit of stagecraft and appropriate music is an integral part of any celebration. Wedding music is as much a part of the ceremony as the bride's dress and the actual "I do's." What better call to romance than a favorite love song, the familiar bars of a concert enjoyed together during courtship, or a private melody that recalls personal moments that all lovers cherish?

We know a couple who dissolve every time "People" airs on the "Golden Oldies" radio stations, and another who on their 50th anniversary still turned moist-eyed when "El Reloj" (The Clock) was played. They honeymooned in Acapulco, and it was the Mexican strolling troubadours' hit of the times.

Julie Alexander's mellow harp (above) has entranced listeners all over the globe. Indoors or out (below), there is something celestial about harp music.

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Classically inclined

Because we live in one of the most beautiful areas on earth, the planning for a wedding should include careful thought about the musical background. Outdoor weddings, with the restless sea and our towering Monterey pines as a setting, may lend themselves to a single musician, melding his/her artistry with nature's sounds. If your chosen setting is in the sunshine, then soft music, a bit of Vivaldi, or Bach, played by renowned classical guitarist Terrence Farrell, may be perfect. Farrell has played for two American presidents.

Julie Alexander's mellow harp has entranced listeners all over the globe during her eight years as "the floating harpist" for a prestigious cruise line. Presently, Julie can be heard almost nightly at the Bay Club within the Inn at Spanish Bay in Pebble Beach.

Continuing along the elegantly classical musical route, David Dally's Monterey String Quartet has entranced pre-event listeners at the Highland's Inn Annual Masters of Food and Wine. His is recognized as one of the most sought-after classical quartets in California.

Moving on to the reception, the tempo varies and usually accelerates. The single harp or welcoming string group that sets the mood for the first champagne toast may give way to a higher decibel ensemble during dining and dancing.

David Dally and the Monterey String Quartet

"Heartstrings" is a popular all women group comprised of violin, mandolin, mandola, melodeon, guitar, dulcimer, cello and light percussion. They self-describe their performances as "lively, happy music for everyone and for every occasion." They will also tailor ethnic favorites, such as contemporary Irish tunes and other international folk music.

Because theme weddings are very much "in" these days, consider a bit of Latin flair; a taste of Old Monterey: William Faulkner's earthy, ranchera Mexican harp, or his participation on harp and guitarrón, with the full contingent of "El Mariachi Mixtlán." Faulkner alone is memorable in his cream and gold-trimmed Mariachi wedding costume.

"Bravo Ara" is the virtuoso duo of Ramón Romero's dulcet Paraguayan harp and the fiery Flamenco guitar of Scotland Spelias. Playing together, or with a percussionist and second guitarist/vocalist, they lend an exotic touch with their emotional renderings.

• "We want a Western wedding." Here comes the bride in ruffles and snowy white boots, the bridegroom in a satin fringed shirt ... And the music? Well "country " of course ... The group "Eight Second Ride," with the big voice of Candie Cobb, singing to music by Jim Croce, The Eagles, Patsy Kline and Bonnie Raitt, should set just the right tone.

• "Our 'turn on' is rhythm and blues..." Think about "Red Beans & Rice," the "Broadway Band" or the "Volcano Brothers." Steve Vagnini, Pine Cone music columnist, manages them and a number of other young musical collaborators.

It's dance time and nothing less than a big sound, instrumental band will do for this greatest occasion of all. The Marotta Band family has been providing the musical memories for Peninsula couples for three generations. They can perform the gamut from today's or yesterday's sentimental favorites to the hora, the tarantella, the bamba, swing or line dancing. Mike Jr. and his versatile fivesome can provide it all.

The Scott Brown Band features song stylist Peggy Brown and is also small with a Big Band sound. It's amazing what today's state-of-the-art amplifiers can do!

Whatever your pleasure, speak with several musicians or their representatives. Work with the individual or leader of the group you choose, so that your wedding music is personalized. If it's your dream to polka or boogie down the aisle, do it! It's your day and the right music will stay locked in memory long after the last crumbs of wedding cake are gone. ❦

Peggy and Scott Brown

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❦ Lotte Mendelsohn is a food and travel writer with more than 20 years of national and international experience. Lotte and her husband, Bert, reside in Pebble Beach.

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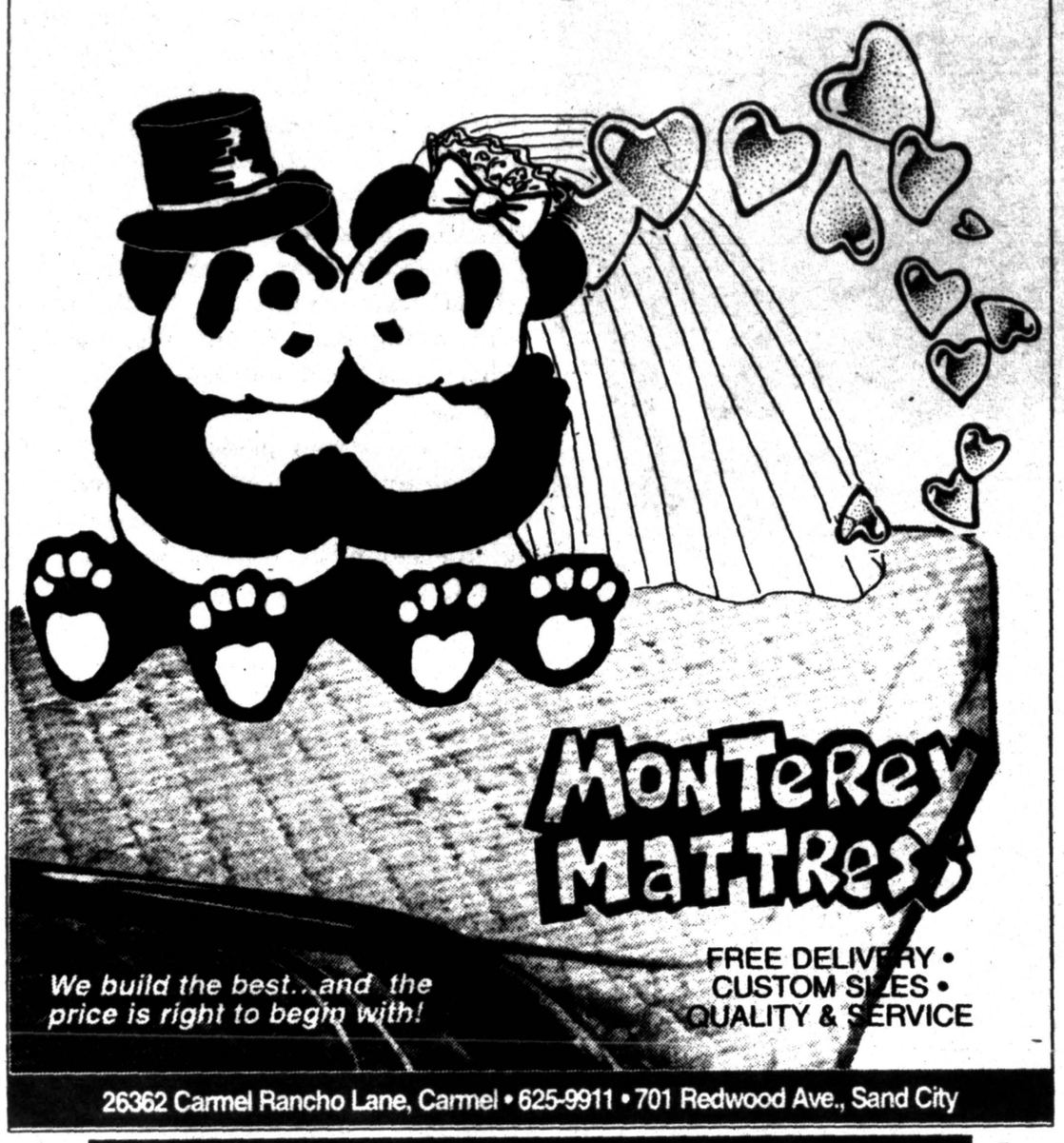

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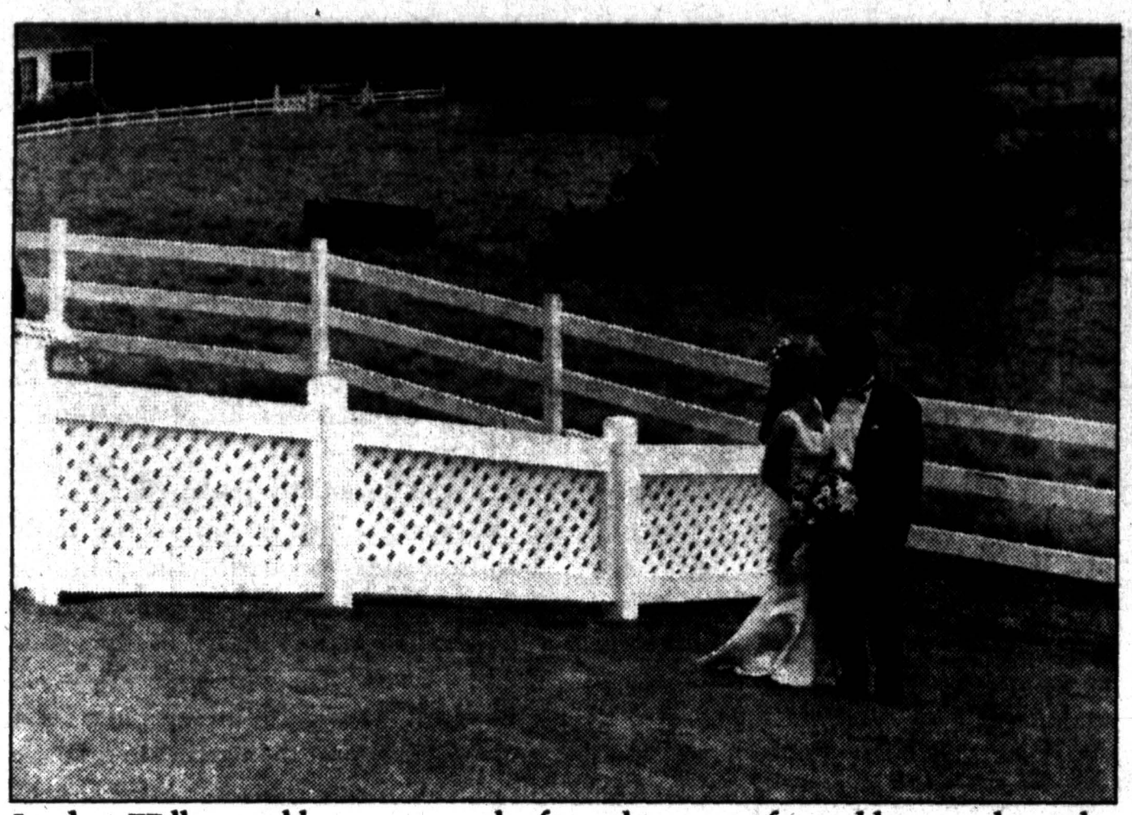

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Photographs by Lindsey Walker artfully capture essence of the day

When looking at her portfolio, clients of **Lindsey Walker Photography** are invariably struck by the vitality in her wedding pictures.

Perhaps this is due to her journalistic background as a documentary photographer. Or perhaps to her studies in composition, color and design before receiving her bachelor of fine arts degree from the University of Pennsylvania. And her travels throughout the world also offer a dimension of sensitivity and insight.

"My journalistic background gave me the ability to be intuitive," explains the Carmel-based photographer. "I like true expression. I capture the formal aspects of a wedding, yet keep the photographs very natural, using the exquisite backdrops of this area as much as possible," Walker explains. "Weddings are perfect for me. I love the elements of ceremony and tradition and the unique styles of each one."

Lindsey Walker's wedding clients can order, if they wish, simultaneous black and white and color coverage of their special day.

"Many brides request color, but like the idea of some black and white, as it has a timeless quality, especially for portraits," she says, "so I'll have a second camera for that purpose."

'Weddings are perfect for me. I love the elements of ceremony and tradition and the unique styles of each one,' says photographer Lindsey Walker.

Walker was part of a documentary film crew that took her from the South Pacific to the Far East. She is well-versed in capturing emotions on film, of being "in the moment."

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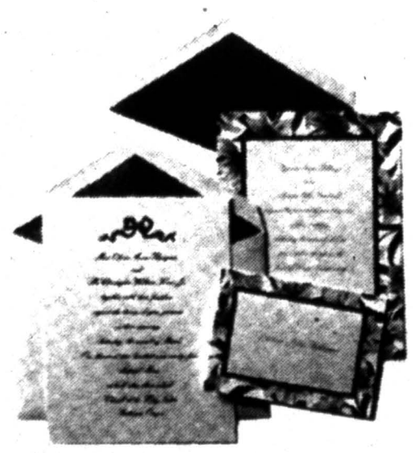

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■ *Carmel Lifestyle features the 'California casual' look*

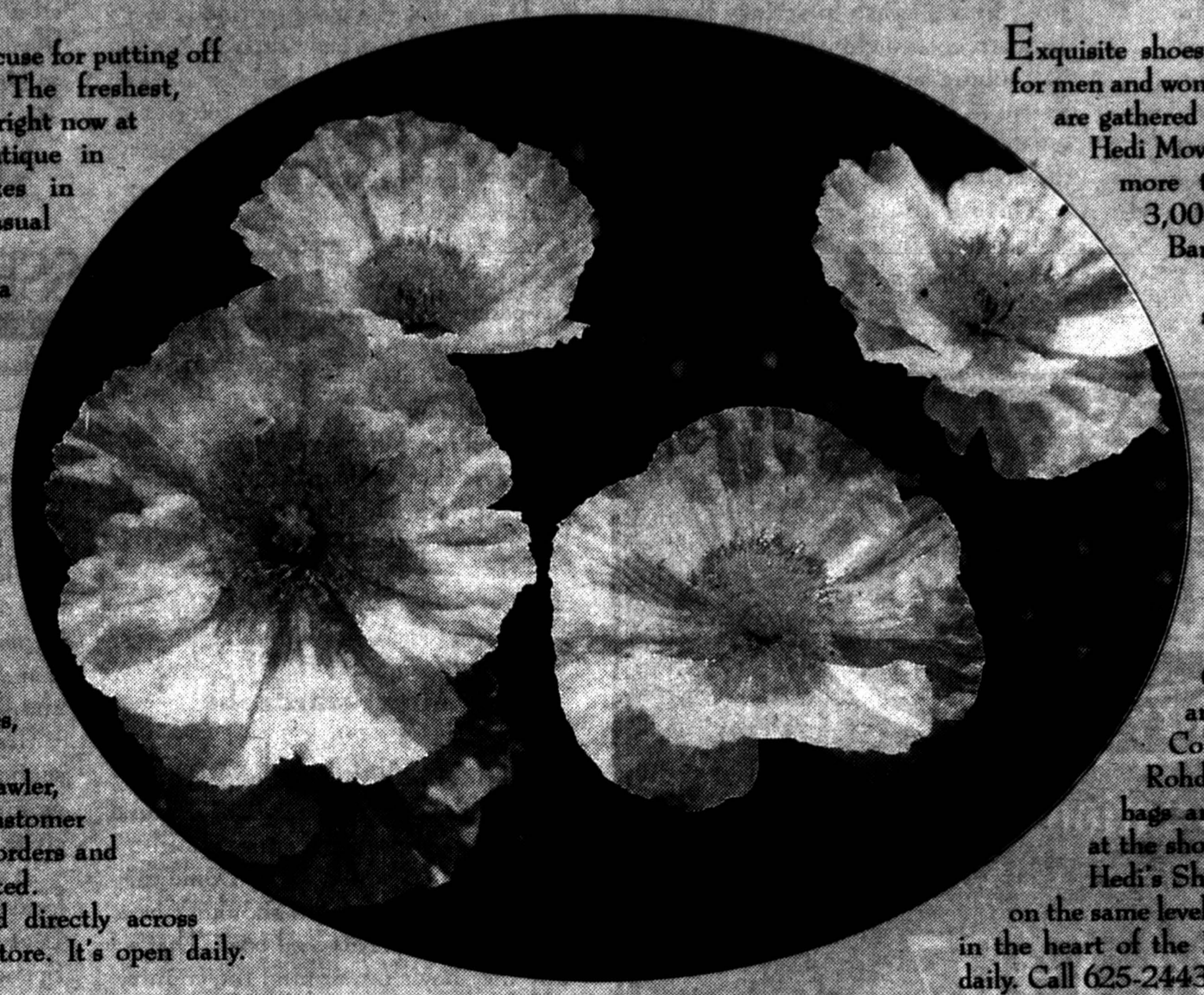
It's spring and there's no excuse for putting off a major wardrobe renewal. The freshest, brightest colors in years are in right now at Carmel Lifestyle. This boutique in Carmel's Barnyard specializes in women's clothing with a casual flair.

This spring, that formula translates into bright shades of kiwi green, yellow, red, royal blue ... and not just for accent pieces. Jackets and pants also sport these refreshing shades, in comfortable, washable fabrics like Microfiber.

Accessorize your new wardrobe with the help of Carmel Lifestyle. There are charming hats to top it all off, plus a lively selection of scarves, belts and jewelry.

Owned by Paula and Tom Lawler, this shop is a place where customer service is top-drawer. Special orders and layaway are gladly accommodated.

Carmel Lifestyle is located directly across from the Thunderbird Bookstore. It's open daily. Call 624-7027.



■ *Fashion and comfort put in focus in selections at Hedi's Shoes*

Exquisite shoes, leather goods and clothing for men and women from international venues are gathered at Hedi's Shoes. Nancy and Hedi Movehedi showcase fashions from more than 30 countries in their 3,000-square-foot shop in the Barnyard, Carmel.

Hedi's has built its initial success with shoes. For the ladies, Hedi's features designs by Ecco, Arche, Clark, Sesto Meucci, Rangoini, Naot, Trotters, Selby, Sudini, Reiker, Vaneli, Soft Spots, Rohde, Joseph Siebel, Uggs, New Balance, Hafinger and Dansko.

For men, there are casual and dress shoes by Ecco, Clarks of England, Johnston and Murphy, Allen Edmonds, Cole Haan, H.S. Trask and Rohde. Dooney and Burke handbags are another featured collection at the shop.

Hedi's Shoes is easy to find. It's located on the same level as the Thunderbird Bookshop in the heart of the Barnyard, and is open 9 to 8 daily. Call 625-2443.

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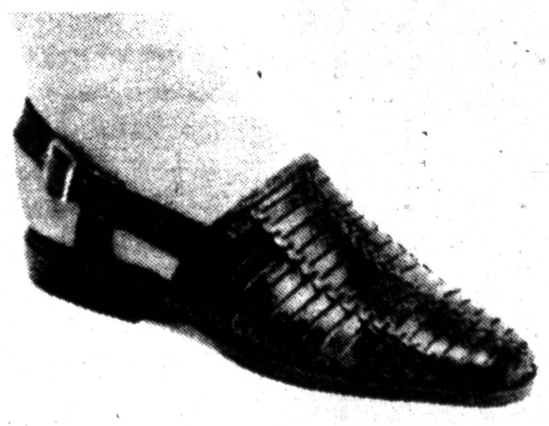

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■ Adorable children's clothes shown at Clara's Petits Amis

If adorably dressed children are cropping up in your neighborhood, there's a good chance those outfits came from **Clara's Petits Amis**. This Crossroads boutique features everything from heirloom-quality, handmade christening gowns to comfortable, stylish denims.

Clara's Petits Amis is at 202 Crossroads Blvd., across from Spencer's. Owner Clara Borup gathers fashions in sizes from infant through size 10 for girls, up to size 7 for boys.

Just in time for Easter portraits are girls' dresses awash in springy flower prints in cotton chintz, with Battenburg lace collars. Boys will look festive in linen shorts and cardigan sweaters that feature a frog knitted on the pocket.

There is also a great variety of play clothes with an emphasis on fashion-forward denims.

Indulge your little one with tennis shoes that are hand-painted by a local artist. Clara's Petits Amis also stocks accessories, including belts, jewelry, toys and delightful hats.

This is just the place to find something special for a baby shower. You'll see crib bedding, baby books, and even furniture hand painted with Peter Rabbit motifs.

Service is the specialty of Clara's Petits Amis. They are happy to accommodate special orders, layaway and shipping. Gift wrapping is free. The shop is open 10 to 6 Monday through Saturday, 11 to 5 Sunday. To learn more, call 626-4171.

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■ Donlé — The key to a smart wardrobe

Donlé, with shops in both The Crossroads and The Barnyard, is home to fashions that are versatile, affordable and of high quality. At Donlé they understand that fashion shouldn't be a matter of complexity and cost. That's why they buy from around the country to be your resource for quality and affordability.

For spring, Donlé features a fabulous new collection of knits. If you like St. John, you'll love their knits — offering the same essence of style and quality but at a fraction of the price.

A noteworthy feature of the Toula line is that separates can be custom-ordered, and are knit to a client's specific measurements. If a woman has a suit already, she can have a jacket made in a coordinating shade and build new outfits.

Donlé is also home to both the designer collection by Adrienne Vittadini, as well as Vittadini's easy care, affordable sportswear called Options. To learn more, call 624-3001.

■ Exotica designer at work on new collection

It's spring and Cheryl Harris is en route to Bali to design and manufacture her spring/summer collection. This designer's one-of-a-kind, wearable art is featured year-round at her signature boutique, **Exotica**, located in Carmel's Crossroads.

Cheryl makes use of lustrous Thai silks, handpainted fabrics and striking batiks. On the tropical island of Bali she designs and manufactures new collections seasonally.

The boutique also showcases folk and pop art wood carvings from Bali and Thailand, and original art from Oaxaca.

Visit this tropical paradise located at 109 Crossroads Blvd. next to the Monterey Baking Company in the Crossroads Shopping Center, Exotica is open 10 to 6 Monday through Saturday and 11 to 5 Sunday. Call 622-0757.

■ Outfit for adventure with help of Travel Bag

Travel Bag is a unique luggage store that you won't want to miss. It's filled with wonderful luggage lines such as Hartmann, Tumi, Briggs and Riley, Travelpro, French and many more.

As you browse you'll find a wide selection of briefcases, wallets, day-timers and leather goods. Travel Bag feature approximately 300 different types of travel accessory items, from converters, adaptors and money belts to disposable underwear.

If you're not sure what type, style or size luggage to use, let their staff help you make the best choice. The store is owned by Jill and Steve McAlpine, and managed by their daughters, Stacey and Jennifer.

Travel Bag offers friendly customer service, free gift wrapping, storefront parking and packing seminars for your clubs and organizations.

It's open seven days a week and is located in the Crossroads Shopping Center between Kincaids Bistro and Spencers Stationery, Carmel. To learn more, call 626-5545.

■ Village de Provence opens bridal registry

Couples who use the bridal registry at **Village de Provence** are certain to receive one-of-a-kind, heirloom quality china, glassware and silverware. The sunny colors of the South of France are evident in this shop, located at 116 Crossroads Blvd., Carmel.

It's worth a visit to inspect the hand-blown glassware by Biot. Shown in nine colors, the Biot collection includes champagne flutes and buckets, vases and special pitchers that have a separate section to hold the ice for chilled beverages.

Porcelain by Lallier á Moustiers is hand painted by artisans, each piece made upon individual request. Village de Provence shows intricately patterned cachepots, candlesticks and decorative display plates.

Couzon and Christofle offer serving pieces and European-size flatware. Couzon stainless steel for casual living is dishwasher-safe. Fine sterling and china are featured from Christofle.

Exquisite quilts and pillows make perfect wedding gifts. Everyday dishware evokes the sun-splashed Provençal hues — vivid shades of blue, gold, green, yellow and red. The shop also features carved olive wood bowls, trays and cutting boards that retain their natural sheen for years. To learn more, call 626-9425.

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Carmel Floral Co. welcomes challenge of designing for weddings

One thing Flanders Ewing Setchel learned while working as head florist for a local hotel: She loves to work on weddings.

Hundreds of ceremonies later, she opened **Carmel Floral Co.** in the Valley Hills Center, Carmel. Some florists act remarkably uninspired at the prospect of a wedding order, and it shows. By contrast, Carmel Floral Co. meets the challenge of this major event with creativity and care.

"We do everything," Setchel asserts. "We sit down and consult with the bride. I work really hard to make sure the flowers live up to their expectations. A lot of florists come in and drop off the flowers at the church, and charge for delivery. We stay, we pin on the boutonnieres and corsages. We make sure the girls know how to hold their flowers for the photographs and the wedding procession.

"We stay with the bride until the very end. We decorate the cake table. We take the flowers from the church to the reception and set them up. We work really hard to make sure there are no glitches. We carry buckets of flowers to repair the arrangements if heaven forbid the bride drops hers."

Not only does the Carmel Floral Co. deliver in terms of service; the staff also strives for a level of artistry.

"If left to my own devices, I have a very natural, garden English look," explains Setchel. "Because of the number of weddings I've done, I'm also very good at copy work."

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Brides may bring in photos and she can often copy the arrangement.

According to Setchel, "A lot of times, florists let their egos get in the way and they do what they think the bride should have. It's the bride's day, so I create just what they like. We even build the arrangements to match the height and size of the bride."

Hand-wiring and cathedral length arrangements are her specialty. Once she decorated a bride's bustle with rosebuds and stephanotis.

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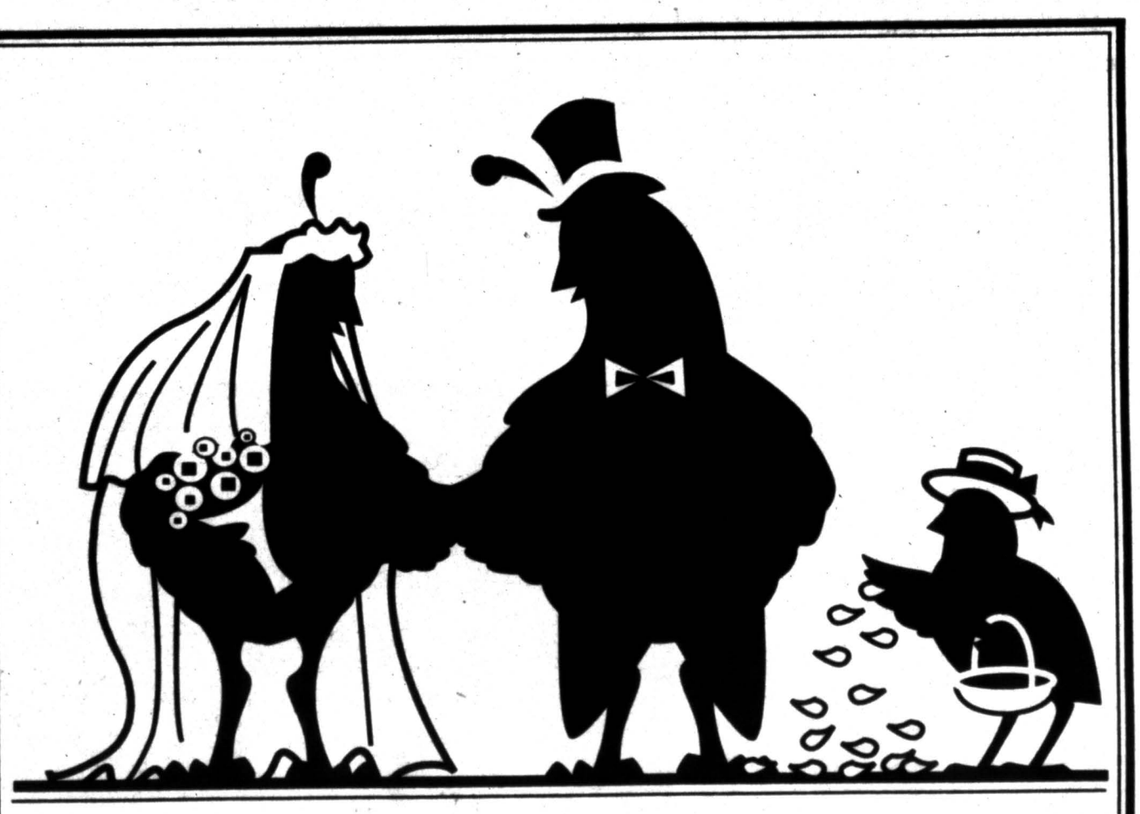

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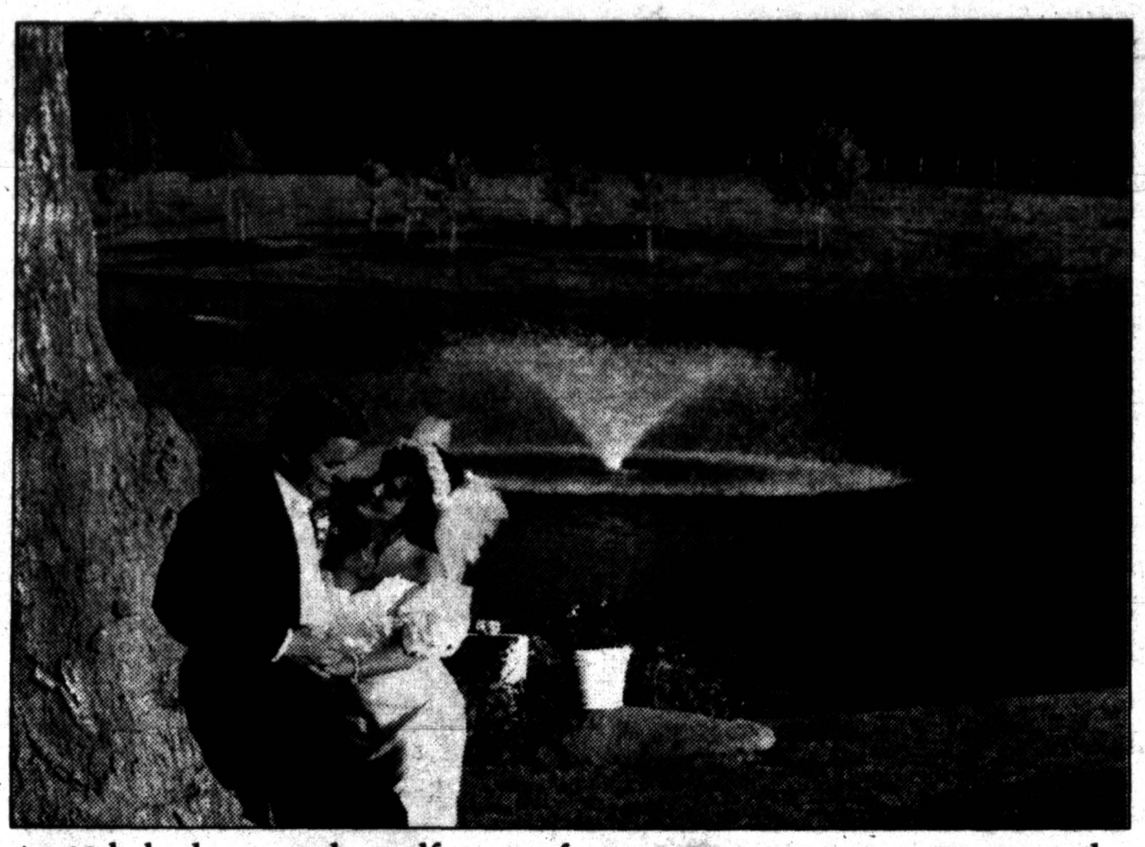

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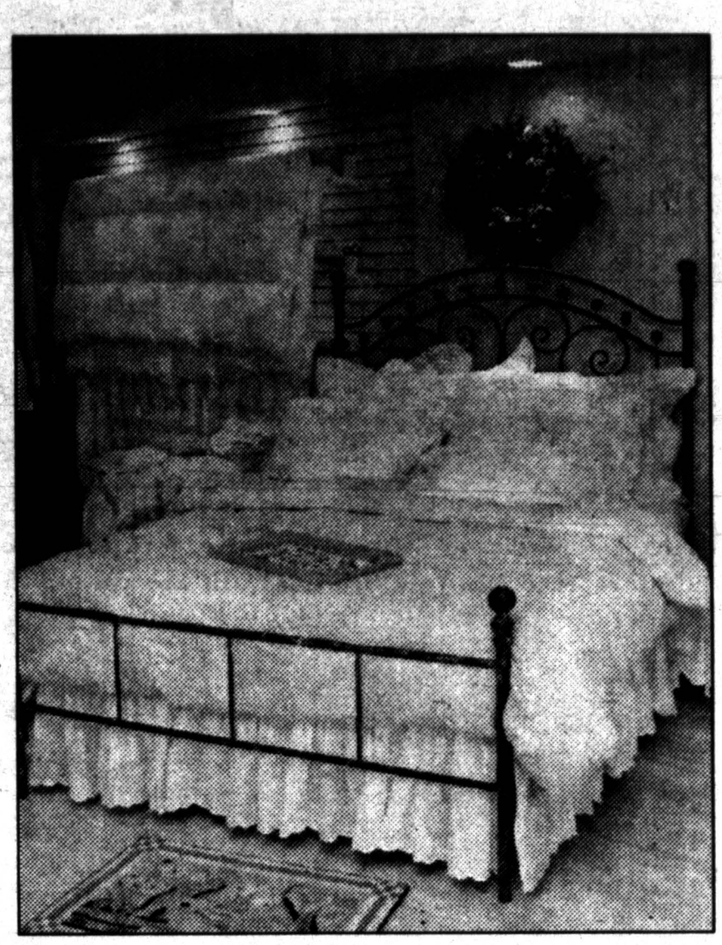
— Guy de Maupassant



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At **Pomerania Down**, recently opened on the top level of Carmel Plaza, the new 1997 Collection of fine French linens from Palais Royal is distinctive for its diversity, from ultrafeminine floral prints in soft pastels to bold, rich colors employing crisp, geometric design, meant to appeal to more contemporary sensibilities.

But perhaps the greatest treasure of Pomerania Down is the hand-filled white goose down bedding. Made to order from 800 fill-power Polish white goose down, and filled into 361-thread count Egyptian cotton sateen shells imported from Germany, the baffled box-stitched comforters are the most popular item. All the comforters, pillows and feather beds are made to last a lifetime, and are guaranteed for their workmanship and materials.

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Carmel Valley Inn: Stunning site for a romantic wedding

Picture your wedding set in the sparkling sunshine of Carmel Valley, in the midst of 12 acres of sweeping lawns, fragrant country gardens and stately trees, with the endless hills of Garland Regional Park and the Valley as a backdrop. Have your ceremony indoors by the old oak fireplace or outdoors in the romantic gazebo. Then if you choose, savor the tastes of a magnificent feast spread out before you and your guests, prepared to order by Wayne Goodwin, former executive chef of the General Store, Ryan Ranch and the Clock Garden Restaurant.

Dance 'til dawn, inside or out, amidst the welcoming informality of the ultimate Carmel Valley retreat. If you tire, rest by the warmth of the rustic fireplace.

Share your thoughts with the friendly staff who will make your dreams a reality — well within a workable budget. Decide how formal or informal you want the event to be, and if you desire, choose from Chef Goodwin's varied and delicious menus. He offers such innovations as poached whole salmon with different sauces, pasta stations or magnificent fruit and cheese displays. Pastry Chef Bette Burch can create an unforgettable wedding cake.

The Valley Grill Restaurant and Lounge offers a panoramic view of the Valley hills from bay windows on three sides. The Inn also features large and smaller gathering rooms which open out onto brick patios. Forty-four guest rooms are spread out over the property, most with private decks or patios. The tennis courts, pool and private hot tub, which can be used day or night, are available for all guests' enjoyment.

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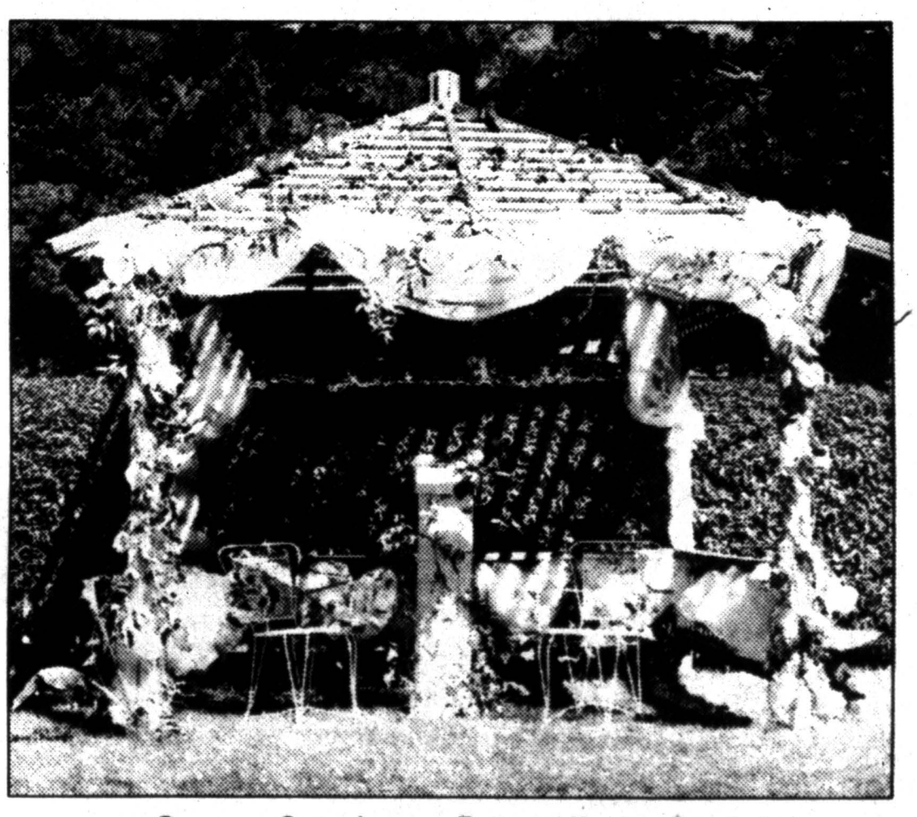

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Nestled in the hills just to the east of Carmel Valley Village is a spot so perfect for weddings that it has to be seen to be believed. Stunning panoramas in every direction are the signature scenery of **Holman Ranch**, which comfortably and beautifully stretches out over 400 oak-covered acres of rolling hills. Dotting the facility are numerous Spanish-styled buildings and garden areas that have been lovingly restored over the past eight years to provide many memorable venues for weddings and a wide variety of corporate events.

The ranch was built back in 1928 as a "gentleman's retreat" and was host to the Hollywood crowd of that era, most notably Charlie Chaplin. Its beauty and retreat-like atmosphere continued to attract the socially prominent and Hollywood elite into the forties and fifties. Clark Gable, Betty Grable and Marlon Brando all spent time there.

Many weddings and receptions have been held in the Ranch's Great Room, which has often been likened to a miniature San Simeon. Other romantic wedding locations include the oak-shaded garden courtyard and sun-splashed Rose Patio. But whatever the place that your feet are planted on the ranch, it is the eye that is visually treated by the fabulous surroundings.

Holman Ranch staff has planned hundreds of weddings at the facility, and understand exactly what it takes to make the day a delightful and memorable event. Whether the event is fully formal and catered, or casually planned around picnic tables and a barbecue, Holman Ranch is just the spot.

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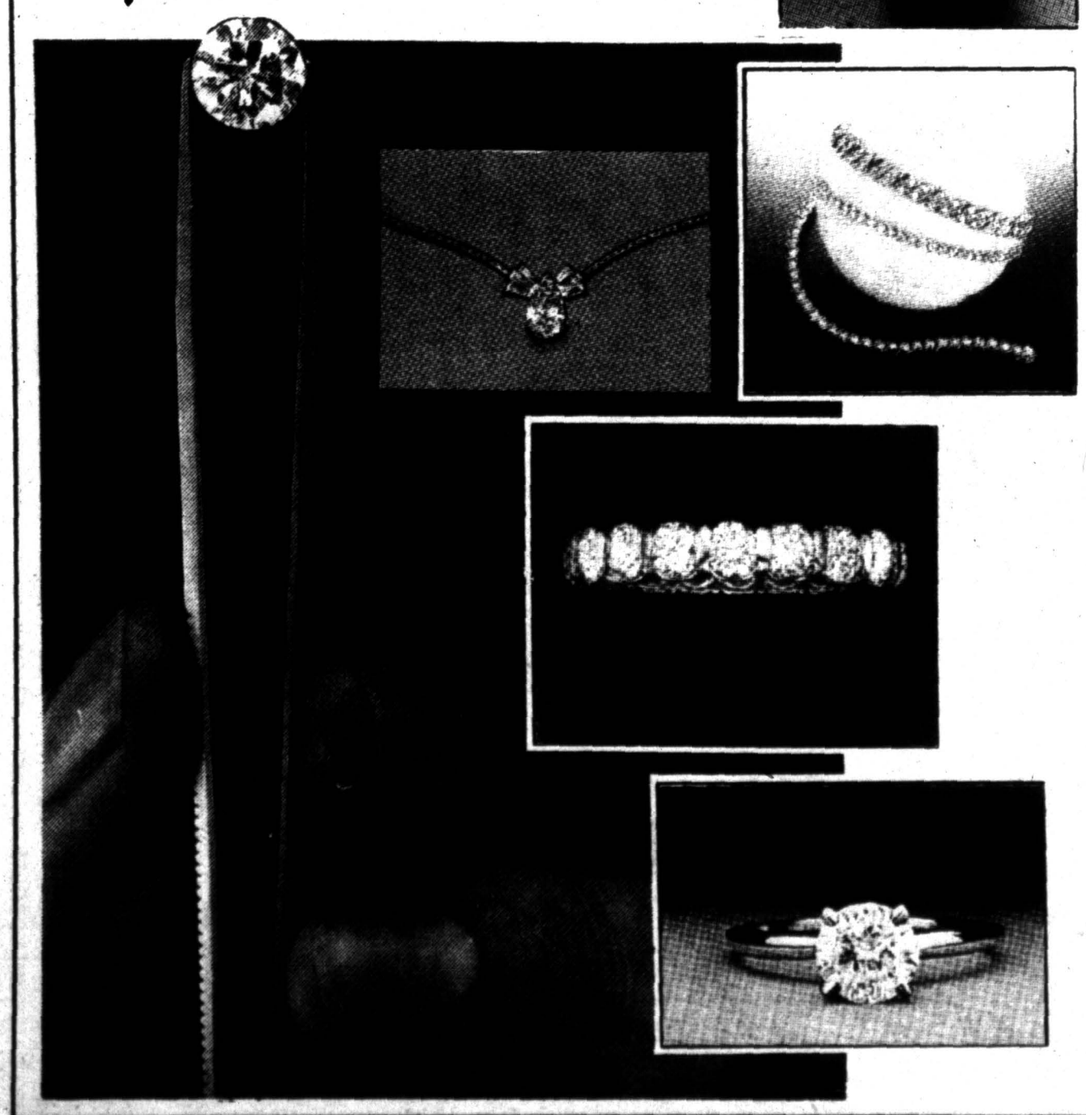

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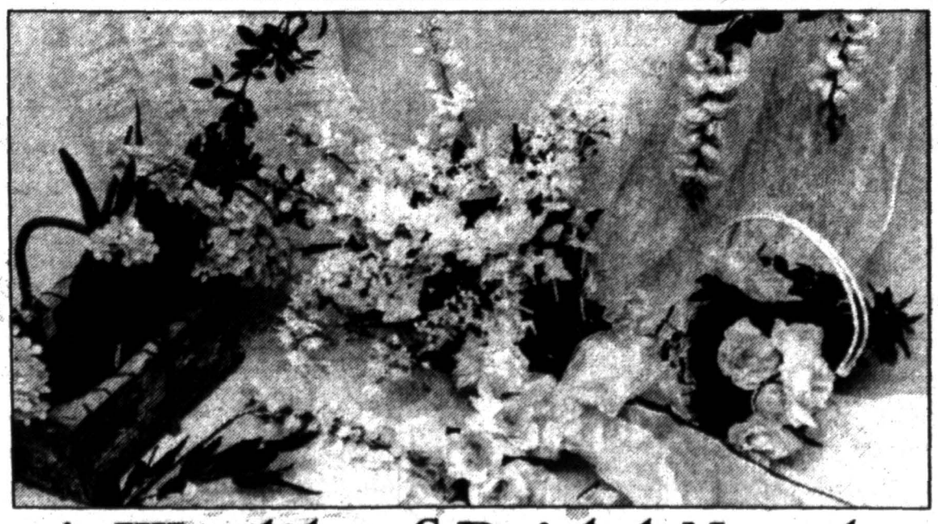

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Grapes of Wrath is the best fount of information on wedding sites, too. They have worked all the popular sites: Holman Ranch, Old Whaling Station, Memory Gardens and A Taste of Monterey. They also know about many out-of-the-way sites: creekside meadows in Big Sur, museums, little-known elegant halls and parks.

Grapes of Wrath is a problem-solver in many surprising ways. For example, we've all seen them — a pack of well-dressed, "wild things," full of soda and cake, all dressed up and no place to.

Send them to the children's art table. Grapes of Wrath always packs art supplies for the children. With several sketch pads and three packs each of washable pens and crayons, all you'll see of these kids is their backs ... as they create piles of fun artwork. We usually suggest that the kids compile a wedding book for the bride and bridegroom. One of our staff members staples it and the children present the book to the couple. This is always a hit.

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The Grove Homescapes offers state-of-the-art wedding and reception facilities. Its flower and plant-filled ambiance promises an exceptionally beautiful setting. Wedding parties can choose from an indoor event or move outdoors to the gardens and gazebo.

For complete information about wedding planning, or to schedule your wedding here, call on Liz, event coordinator.

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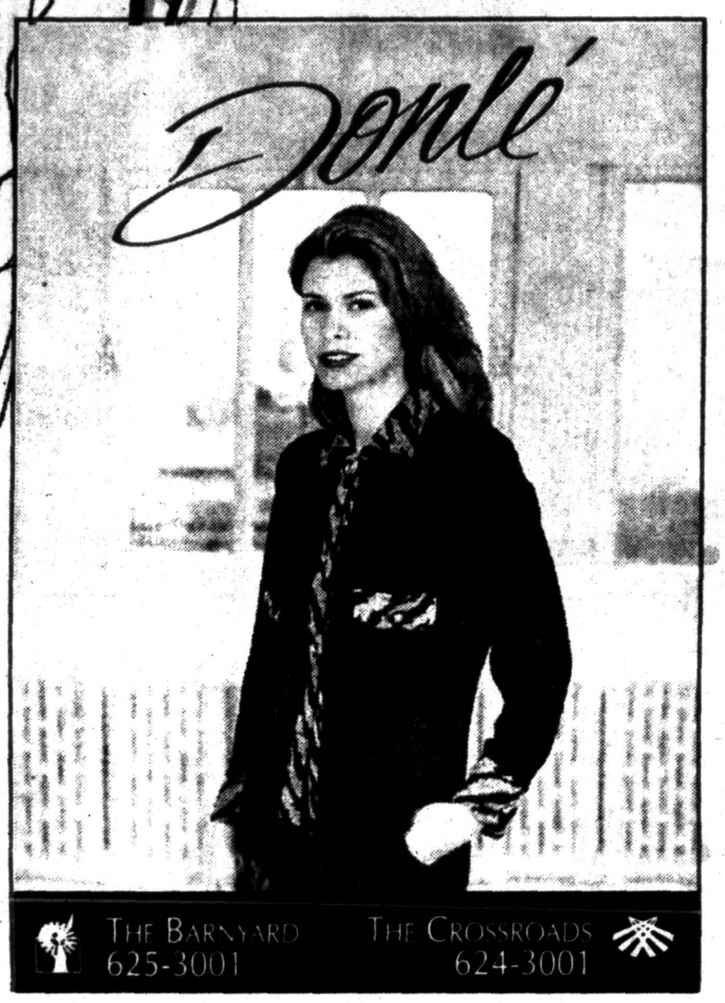

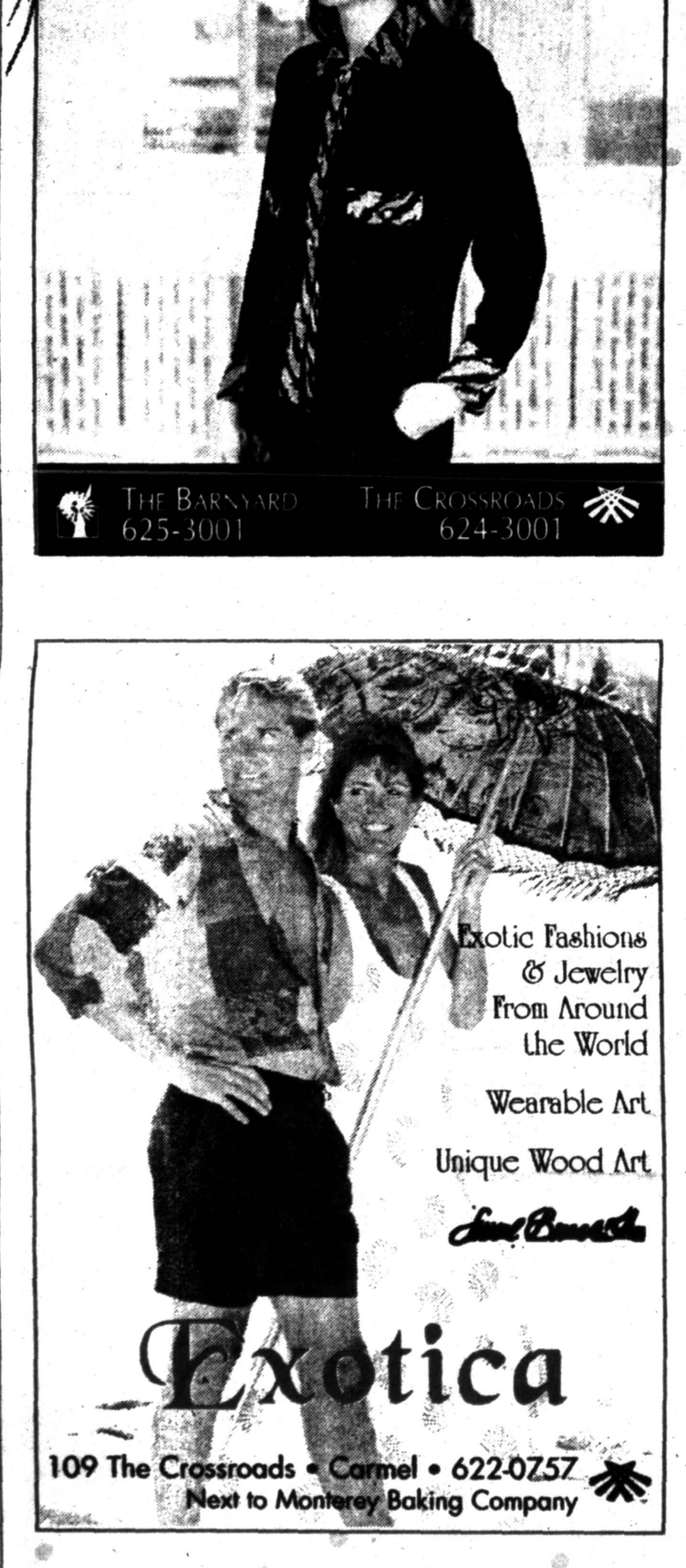

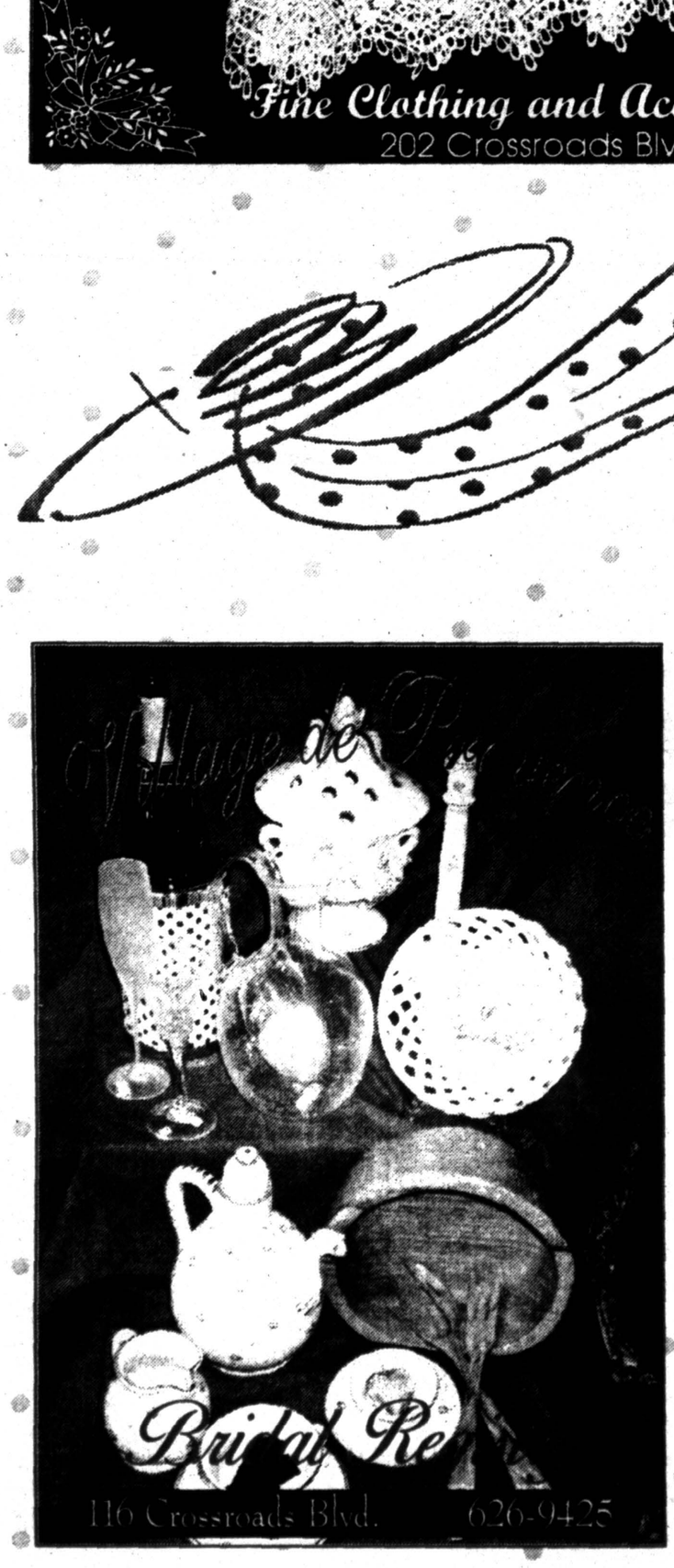

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